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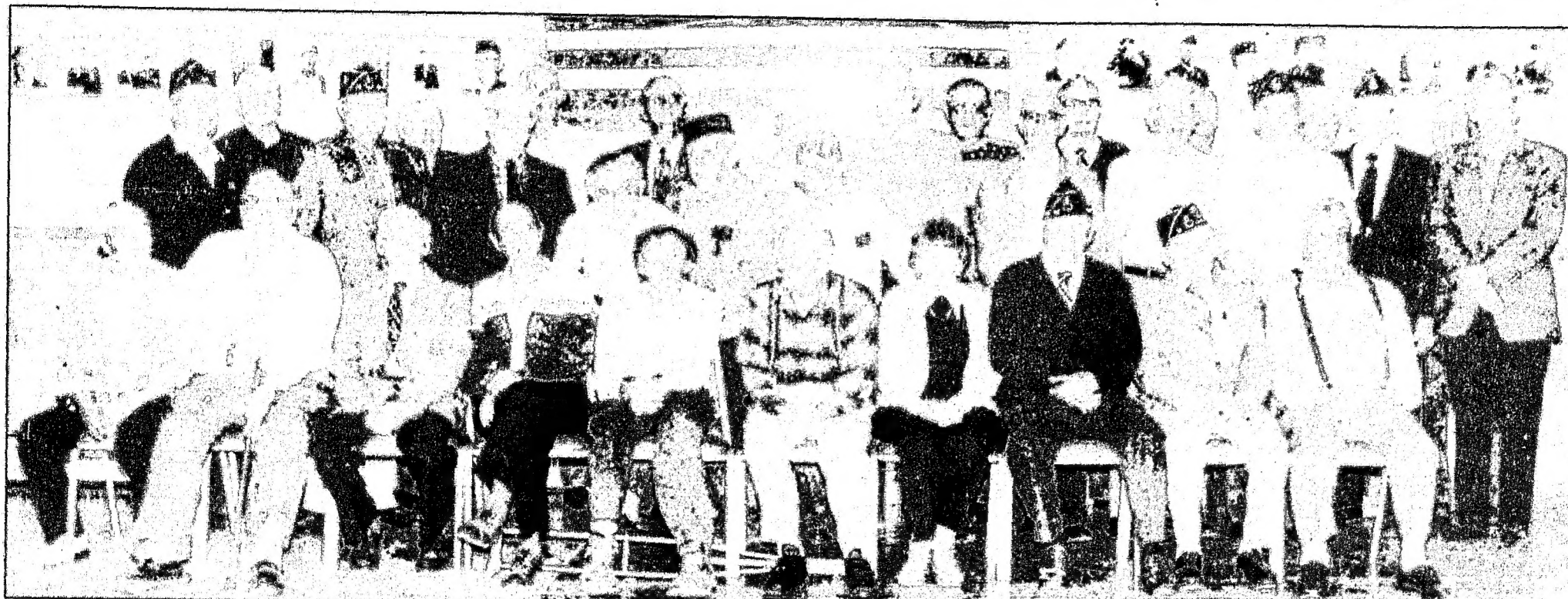
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WWII VETERANS HONORED--
The Jackson-Silver American Legion Post honored local World War II veterans last week at a supper meeting. The Post's Auxiliary Unit 68 prepared the meal. The post invited all local WWII vets, and gave its own WWII members life-long paid memberships to the Post. WWII veterans attending were (front row, from left): Bob Baker, Murray Cummings, Robert Farrington, George C. Gibbs, Albert Foster, Newton Lamb, Irene Stevens, John E. Howe, Rodney Hanscom and Leonas Holt. Second row: Peter Rosenberg, John Gaughler, Philip Cummings, Irving Brown, Albert Raymond, George Bachelder, Louis Sicotte, Leroy Day, Ellsworth Hathaway, Leland Dunham, Roland Lord and Ernest Hayden. Back row: Stanley Farrar, Milton Mills, Ken McInnis, Robert Mills, Robert Day, Cleave Lovejoy, Donald Bennett, Richard Jones, Mellen Kimball and Frank Lowell.
(Photo by Wendy Hanscom)

Bethel selectman's race

Candidates state their positions

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Bethel's four selectman candidates gave the town a preview last week of how, if elected, they would approach the major issues facing the town.

On Election Day, next Tuesday, voters will select one of the four hopefuls to fill the single three-year opening on the board.

At a public forum last Wednesday, each of the four had the opportunity to spell out just how he or she would approach some of those issues.

The four candidates this year are Harry Faulkner, a restaurant owner; Jane Lowe, a vice president of Bethel Savings Bank; Larry Smith, a logger; and Richard Whitney, a small business owner.

Lowe and Smith are area natives making their first run for the Board of Selectmen. Whitney, who moved to Bethel when he was 17, is also making his first run. Faulkner moved to Bethel from Massachusetts in 1988, two years after opening a business here. He ran unsuccessfully for the board in three of the past four elections.

Yes and no on zoning

Probably the most striking difference in viewpoints revealed last week was in regard to growth management -- or zoning.

Smith and Whitney were opposed to any form of such restrictions.

"I'm a firm believer in the rights of private property owners," Whitney said. He also contended that Bethel's current development regulations were more than adequate for controlling growth.

Smith pointed to tradition in explaining his own opposition to zoning. "My forefathers were against it and I stand with them."

But Lowe and Faulkner said they had not closed their minds to the possible need for some form of zoning.

Lowe acknowledged that her point of view would not be popular with many voters. "I'll probably be shot for this," she said, "but I guess I could say I'm for a limited type of zoning."

Faulkner initially objected to the wording of the question but then said he would be open to "some sort of limited commercial" zoning.

Town garage and term limits

The candidates also differed on whether the Airport Industrial Park was a suitable site for the relocated municipal garage.

Lowe said the AIP was a "perfect place" for the garage and salt/sand shed, but Smith thought too many issues have been "left floating" in regard to such a move.

Faulkner said he was not a good person to ask, since he personally thought the AIP was a good site, but people he had talked with who

knew more about such matters thought moving the town facilities to the AIP was a bad idea.

Whitney also said that knowledgeable people he had talked with tended to oppose the move, but he said he would support the AIP site if the only other option were to spend taxpayers money to acquire an alternative site.

The candidates also split on the question of whether there should be term limits for selectmen. Whitney and Lowe said they could support the idea; Faulkner and Smith were opposed.

Asked if the town should form an economic development group that encompasses a variety of current organizations and committees, Lowe and Faulkner said yes, Smith and Whitney said no.

Relationship with SAD44

The candidates generally agreed that SAD44 could survive the financial blow if Newry were to withdraw from the district.

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More NTLers will be here this summer

By WENDY HANSKOM

National Training Laboratories has expanded this year's summer season in Bethel from 11 to 13 weeks.

NTL labs started Monday. About 725 people are scheduled to participate in 35 NTL programs and other events. Last year, about 640 people attended NTL labs. This year's season will run from June 6 to Sept. 3.

Bethel NTL Manager Kathy Schandelmeyer said NTL hopes to expand its season again next year, offering programs further into the fall.

"New England is a lovely place to be in September and the first part of October," Schandelmeyer said. "The Bethel area is beautiful and we'd like to share that with our participants in 1995 and 1996."

The expansion is part of an NTL five-year development plan.

In 1991, NTL officials announced they were suspending operations in Bethel, because of inadequate training space and complaints from staff and participants about facilities in Bethel. Pressure from both NTL members and the community eventually forced the NTL Board of Directors backed off its original stance and ultimately approved the five-year development plan.

Lengthening the local season is part of the strategic plan for NTL's Bethel site, Schandelmeyer said the economy is also helping to expand the season.

"Due to a recessed economy, I think Bethel is now a greater interest to the membership," Schandelmeyer said. "It's a beautiful place, but it also provides more affordable housing options than a big city like San Francisco or Washington, D.C."

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Telstar graduates Friday

By WENDY HANSKOM

The Telstar Regional High School Class of 1994 will don caps and gowns Friday, June 10 for the school's 26th commencement exercises.

Ceremonies for the graduates, their families and friends will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the gymnasium.

The welcome will be delivered by class co-presidents Misty Hutchins and Cheryl Myers.

Featured speakers will be class Valedictorian Joshua Fogg, Salutatorian Jennifer Bowie and Third Honors Graduate Cheryl Myers.

The class will also sing this year's class song, "Imagine," by John Lennon.

Graduates Sara Brooks and Heather Harrison will reflect on the class's years at Telstar. The farewell will be given by Kelsey Cross and Sarah Coolidge. A reception in the cafeteria will follow graduation.

Senior Awards night is Wednesday, June 8 at 7 p.m. in the auditorium.

The graduates will celebrate the fraternity of all people at Thursday's "A Coming Together of Friends -- Never Saying Good-bye" at 7:30 in the Telstar auditorium. The event is sponsored by the Class of 1994.

This year's Project Graduation celebration will be held at Royal Health Club in Gorham, N.H.

Saturday at 5 a.m., parents and friends are invited to join the graduates, who will be returning from Project Graduation, for breakfast at the Jackson Silver Legion Hall in Locke Mills.

Where should Bethel put its town garage? Selectmen now asking for advice

By MICHAEL DANIELS

With time running out to decide on a new site for Bethel's town garage, the town selectmen decided Monday night to ask for some help making the decision.

The board voted to revive the Cross Street Advisory Committee and ask it to review the various options available to the town.

The 10-member committee has been inactive since November, when it recommended that the town allow the developers of the Bethel Station project to acquire the 6.2 parcel on which the current garage is located.

In early February, Bethel voters approved the land swap proposal, which called, in part, for the developers to construct a new town garage, either on a lot at the Airport Industrial Park or at another site selected by the town.

Since the Town Meeting vote, the selectmen have reviewed a number of possible sites, but they have made little progress toward a decision.

But time is now running out.

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Baseball playoffs start Thursday

By WENDY HANSKOM

The Telstar High School baseball team (10-4) placed second in Western Maine Class C and will begin post-season playoffs at home on Thursday.

The Rebels will play the winner of Tuesday's preliminary round game between Carrabec, ranked tenth, and Madison, ranked seventh.

Telstar beat Madison (7-7) twice in the regular season, 6-3 early in the season and 7-0 last week. The

Rebels overwhelmed Carrabec (5-8-1) last month, beating the Cobras 16-4.

Thursday's Class C quarterfinal game begins at 4 p.m.

If the Rebels win, they will play again at home Saturday against either sixth-ranked Hall-Dale or third-ranked Falmouth.

Last year was the Rebels first time in the playoffs since 1989. They lost the preliminary-round game to Erskine Academy 16-4.

Election/Primary Day Tuesday

Tuesday June 14 will be Primary Day throughout the state and Election Day for town officers in Bethel.

Primary action is hottest at the top of the ballot, where a record number of candidates are seeking their party's nomination for governor and for the state's two seats in the U.S. House of Representatives. Current Reps. Olympia Snowe (R) and Tom Andrews (D) are also seeking their respective party's nomination to fill the U.S. Senate seat being vacated by George Mitchell, but both Snowe and Andrews are unopposed in their primaries.

Among the few lower-level primary combatants are Eugene Boivin of Rumford and James Wilfong of Stow, both seeking the Democratic nomination for the state Senate seat in District 25. Three Democrats are seeking to replace District Attorney Janet Mills (who is running for Olympia Snowe's seat in Congress); they are Norman Croteau and Paul Gauvreau, both of Lewiston, and Thomas Mangan of Poland.

In Bethel, voters will pick from among four candidates (see story) to fill one seat on the Board of Selectmen. They will also pick either Roger Conant or Larry Smith Sr. to be an assessor. There are two openings on the SAD44 Board of Directors, and two candidates, Wende Gray and incumbent Frances Tyler, are on the ballot.

The following day, Wednesday, June 15, is Town Meeting day in Bethel. A preview of this year's warrant will appear in next week's Citizen.

Polling places and hours

TOWN	HOURS	PLACE
Albany	9 a.m. to 8 p.m.	Town Hall
Andover	10 a.m. to 8 p.m.	Town Hall
Bethel	10 a.m. to 8 p.m.	Fire Station
Gilead	10 a.m. to 8 p.m.	Town Hall
Greenwood	10 a.m. to 8 p.m.	Municipal Building
Newry	10 a.m. to 8 p.m.	Town Office
Upton	10 a.m. to 8 p.m.	Town Office
West Paris	10 a.m. to 8 p.m.	Municipal Garage
Woodstock	9 a.m. to 8 p.m.	Town Office

Bethel Voters - Plan To Watch Selectperson Candidates' Forum

Monday, June 13 - 7 PM

(Replay of the June 1st event - On Channel 4)

Critical issues addressed by candidates Rick Whitney, Jane Lowe, Harry Faulkner and Larry Smith

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OMERS IN TOP TEN AT WORLD COMPETITION--The Telstar Middle School Odyssey of the mind team of (from left): Caitlin Bass, Michelle McInnis, Katie Chapman, Martha Grover, Laurie Young and Teri Chadbourne placed seventh among 57 teams in last week's OM world competition at Iowa State University. The middle school team received very positive comments from OM judges, according to team co-coach Jean Bass. Teams at the competition represented 49 states and several foreign countries.

Letters

BRING BACK THE BAND

To the Editor:

As I stood and watched the Memorial Day parade in Locke Mills this year, it saddened me to see the green and black uniforms of the Leavitt High School Band approaching. No longer seen are the brand new uniforms of our own familiar Telstar Regional High School Band. This was the first time in the last eight years I have not marched in the Memorial Day parades of Locke Mills, Bethel, Bryant Pond, and Andover. This year, as I looked on from the other side of the fence, it became shockingly apparent to me what a grave mistake was made when the Telstar music program was eliminated from the budget.

I am truly ashamed that the members of our community American Legion were forced to search as far as Leavitt to find a band to perform at our local parades, since every year when approached, the kids from Telstar gave up their day off and gladly said, "Sure, we'll spend seven hours marching in who-knows-what kind of weather, because we know what this day means and if we can make such a small sacrifice for the people who made the ultimate sacrifice, it's worth it."

I strongly urge the community members of our school district to take a long, hard look at the loss of our music program and all the repercussions that go with it. We have many talented children in our towns who will probably never be able to discover and express their musical talent if the program is not reinstated. I know I speak for many other Telstar musicians I have performed with when I say without reservation that the music program at Telstar has made me a better person. God has given us two wonderful gifts in life -- children and music. Why can't SAD44 have both?

Jennifer Felt
Locke Mills

LET'S PLAN THE BICENTENARY

To the Editor:

Last year the Bethel Board of Selectmen appointed me as the chair for the town's bicentenary to be held sometime during the summer of 1996. Since this month marks the 198th anniversary of the town's incorporation, I thought it might be an appropriate time to call for anyone interested in planning the celebration to gather at the Dr. Moses Mason House Meeting Room on Thursday, June 9, beginning at 7:30 p.m. All those interested in participating, but unable to attend this meeting should give me a call at 824-2291 or the society at 824-2908.

1996 promises to be an exciting year for Bethel. I hope we can attract as many people as possible to participate through a wide range of activities and events.

Stan R. Howe
Bethel

MAY FAIR THANKS

To the Editor:

The second Annual CPS May Fair proved to be as successful as hoped. All of the various features offered at this year's fair contributed to the enormous results on behalf of the CPS Playground Fund.

The success of this year's May Fair was due to the hard work and dedication of many volunteers who spent many hours on the planning, preparation, running, and clean-up. Thanks to the generous donors: parents, students, teachers, and the business community. Special thanks to Robin Fraser, Don Chase, the Royers, Julie Daye, Cyndy Kane Olson, Deb Dohmann, Kate Slattery, Marjorie Osgood, Nancy Young, Wendy Meader, Wendy Hanscom, Ellen Marshall, Dan Hart, Linda Howe, Eileen Ope, Sheila Fleet, Heidi Bean, Gail Weston, Brenda Wright, Nancy Grover, Jeff Parsons, Betsy Raymond and the Murphys, the chorus, Linda Stowell, Joe Vedella, Julia Rewter, Levi Brown.

Marilyn Swan, Patti Parsons
CPS PTA May Fair Committee

WHITNEY STATES POSITIONS

To the Editor:

Last week I introduced myself to you as a candidate for the seat of selectman in the town of Bethel. This week I would like to outline my positions on some of the important issues we will be faced with.

In regard to Bethel Station, I am in favor of the rights of personal property owners to develop their lands as long as they meet the many federal, state and local regulations that apply. If we grant variances for this project we should be prepared to do so for other businesses that need them.

Another topic that once again may be dragged to the forefront in the next three years is that of zoning. I am a firm believer in the rights of private property owners. We already have in place an effective site plan review ordinance and many other state and federal laws apply to development; therefore I am opposed to zoning in any form.

I will touch briefly on a few other topics discussed at the Selectman's Forum on June 1. In regard to the sewer system, I believe that since the town's portion of the capital improvements on the sewer system are funded by tax dollars it would seem appropriate to create a formula whereby those having their septic systems pumped and emptied into the treatment plant could do so at a cost equitable to what those who are required to be on the sewer system pay.

In my opinion the airport should continue to be developed at approximately the same pace as it has been, since little or no local tax dollars are involved. It would be shortsighted to not realize the potential value of the airport in years to come. I would prefer to find a better site for the municipal garage and use the airport lots only as a last resort.

Being the parent of two small children I am obviously concerned about maintaining an excellent local school system. However, I do not believe that excellence is for sale. The success of the temporary arrangement of the Crescent Park School this past year can be attributed to a talented, resourceful staff, not piles of money being thrown at a difficult problem.

In closing I would like to urge all voters to vote. If anyone would like clarification of these or other issues, please feel free to contact me, and I would very much appreciate your vote on June 14.

Rick Whitney
Bethel

NEW BETHEL VOTE TABULATOR--Bethel voters will get their first chance to try out the town's new electronic vote tabulator at next week's primary and local officers elections. The old wooden box the town has used for more than 50 years is being retired. Town Clerk Merton Brown said he routinely hires between 26 and 40 ballot clerks to count town votes. But the new machine will be able to tabulate election results in about 15 minutes. Voters will be given a printed ballot to fill out and then feed into the machine. The ballot has incomplete arrows pointing toward the candidates' names. Voters will fill in the arrow pointing toward their preferred candidate.

(Photo by Wendy Hanscom)



NO HIDDEN AGENDA

To the Editor:

Each and everyone of the candidates for Bethel selectperson asking for your vote are motivated by the same reasons. We would like to serve this town in which we make our homes during a period of what could be very exciting but trying times.

Decisions are going to have to be made that will affect where the town is heading for the next many years and what kinds of a town it will be.

Those people on the board of selectmen are going to have to wrestle with growth and the form that this growth will take.

I for one believe very strongly in the economic growth of the area because I am firm and steadfast in my resolve that job creation is absolutely necessary.

We need to find a way to get the jobs into the area so that those who are born and raised here can, if they choose, stay here and support their families and provide all of the things that mothers and fathers want to give to their children.

It is very expensive to raise and educate children in this society and too often our very best are forced to choose between leaving the Bethel area in order to provide these things or stay here and provide less for their children because of the economic climate.

I do not believe that growth and development have to destroy the wonderful quality of the rural life we enjoy. I believe that growth done thoughtfully and carefully can create a strong economic climate and still maintain the peaceful quality of life that we all know and love.

It will fall on the Board of Selectmen to make these decisions with careful planning and thought and will demand of them the courage to make these decisions.

I use the word courage very thoughtfully because it is certainly true that as a member of the board you will have one group or another angry at you at all times. It is not a popularity contest but a vote of confidence from the voters that you will make your decisions based on what you believe to be the best and fairest for the town overall.

This brings me to the only pledge that I will make that will not be shaken. I will promise that each and every vote that I make will be in my opinion the best for the town as a whole. While I wouldn't expect everyone to agree with my voting you can believe that there will be no hidden personal agenda at work. I believe in the rights of people but I also believe that there needs to be rules for people to follow as they live in our society. If there are rules however they need to be applied fairly and evenly all across our town. The bending of the rules should be allowed only if they represent fairness or an over all benefit to the town.

I am writing this letter as an appeal to you the townspeople for your vote on June 14 but even more importantly I am asking all of you who are able to be sure and get out to vote. The next few years are going to be so important with regard to our lifestyle in Bethel that we simply cannot afford not to have every voters opinion as to what form it should take.

If you are considering not voting I ask you to remember the newsreels of South Africa with people walking miles to get to the polls and standing in lines for hours and hours just to cast a vote and finally have some impact on the direction the country would take. Just to cast the vote that somewhere between 1776 and 1994 too many of us Americans have come to take for granted.

Harry Faulkner
Bethel

WHY SHE'S RUNNING

To the Editor:

For those of you who don't know me, my name is Jane Lowe, formerly Jane Rolfe. I am running for selectperson for the Town of Bethel. I have lived in Bethel all my life and am a 1972 graduate of Telstar Regional High School. My family is from Bethel and were business members of this community, owning a convenience store where the Route 2/26 overpass currently is and then opening a convenience store in the once known Old Cozy Corner Restaurant where the East Bethel Road meets Route 26. I am a single parent, the mother of two children who attend school at Telstar. I am a property owner and taxpayer of the Town of Bethel. I am presently employed by Bethel Savings Bank as assistant vice president and have worked for them for ten years. I am a current member representing the town on the SAD44 School Board and am a past member of the Bethel Recreation Board. I am a person who avidly enjoys the outdoors and the activities it has to offer along with the peace and quiet I seek in my garden.

Progress is inevitable and it is creeping its way into our once quiet little community. Bethel is on the edge of a commercial expansion in size and dollars never before seen. If Bethel is to progress, we, as citizens can help this progress, by seeing that it is done in such a manner that it maintains a harmonious balance between what we have and what may be. We are a small community, attractive to those who visit here and to those who decide to settle here. We as townspeople can take great pride in our town and should be concerned about maintaining the character of Bethel yet wanting to see the town continue to grow. This can be done if we balance the growth.

Bethel needs jobs, tax dollars, affordable housing and tourist dollars. We have become a town very tourist dependent, due to the lack of any industry in this town. As a small town years ago we supported a shoe shop, a movie theater, a feed and grain store, two grocery stores, a variety store that had everything in it one could imagine, a youth center, bowling alley with league nights, Davis Lumber, Hanover Dowel, as well as two soda fountain shops and several other businesses.

As taxpayers we need people and businesses working together. People and businesses that move to Bethel, do so for a reason. They like the area and they like the citizens. They love the town, but after a year or two of living here they often find they can no longer afford it. They pick up and leave where they can find not necessarily a better way of life but a more affordable one. This hurts, for when you lose a business you lose a taxpayer, you lose a provider of services, you lose an employer that paid state and federal taxes, workmen comp, social security, Medicare, you lose him as an advertiser, the banks lose him as a deposit account and other businesses lose him as a referral source. There is a ripple effect in the loss of a business in this town. I believe the community as a whole should move forward and encourage businesses to want to come to Bethel. This makes more jobs available, in turn, making Bethel more affordable for everyone. For example, we now have a scenic flight business recently opened up at the airport. I think this is wonderful usage of the airport -- while allowing two gentlemen to make a living. This is a small part of growth and yet it does contribute to the local economy.

Each year our taxes keep going up. If we don't see some relief in the property tax situation, Bethel will tax every person owning property on a limited/fixed income out of their homes. The cutbacks at state levels in supporting mandated programs is felt in the tax dollars we are paying. This is best explained and seen in the mandating of programs required at the education level. The state cuts off the funding for those programs once they are in place, thereby placing the burden of that program onto the taxpayer. This is a difficult area to control and it ends up getting out of control because the majority of schoolboards hate to cut budgets, for in doing so, you give the impression that you're not in favor of education. Not so. More money does not mean a better education.

I believe the only way to relieve the cutbacks from the state mandated programs that are no longer funded is to cut the budgets, or increase our own tax base and dollars paid to the town by encouraging new development. As things stand, more and more of the burden is falling back to the everyday taxpayer, and we just can't continue this way.

I would appreciate your support on June 14 and if elected I will do the best job I can for the citizens of Bethel. Being a selectperson for the Town of Bethel is a commitment and I believe anyone that knows from my being on the school board for the past five years that I am committed to the task I undertake. It's a position you don't get into for the glory, but because you have a real interest in wanting to contribute to your community and to the people who live in it.

Please take the time to exercise your right to vote on Tuesday, June 14.

Jane Lowe
Bethel

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THIS WEEK AT THE Moses Mason House

Approximately 50 persons heard Geraldine S. Howe provide a history of the Brick Grammar School at the June monthly meeting of the Bethel Historical Society, held on Thursday evening in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House.

1994 marks the centenary of the opening of the school. The building at the corner of Elm and what was originally High streets cost \$13,916.96 to build and was sold in the mid-1950s, after it was closed, for \$60,000. This money was used to help in the construction costs of the new Crescent Park School, which opened in the early 1950s. Mrs. Howe described teachers' salaries through the years and provided names of the various superintendents of schools who counted this school among their responsibilities. She told several humorous stories provided by several who attended the school. During the discussion portion of the meeting, Avery Angevine recalled buying some of the bricks and timbers during the time the school was being razed for use in his then new house. He confirmed that the majority of the bricks from the building were dumped in a swampy area just below the railroad tracks, on which the former Mexican restaurant building now stands.

During the business portion of the meeting, vice president Walter Hatch, who presided in the absence of the president, thanked everyone who made the Faye Taylor Art Show and the annual Mason birthday party such successes. He announced that the next meeting would be the annual society picnic and would feature a tour of the Sunday River valley. Anyone attending the picnic on July 7 was asked to be at the Dr. Moses Mason House at 5 p.m. to see Randall Bennett's slide show of the valley, followed by the picnic at Artist's Bridge and then a tour of some of the sites in the valley.

LOOKING BACK

10 years ago: A tampered switch caused three locomotives and nine cars of an east bound 40-car Canadian National freight train to derail in Bryant Pond. Stepping Stone Nursery, owned by "Dee Dee" Kellogg, held a graduation party for the students who were entering kindergarten in the fall: Clint Myers, Tatum Brooks, Monica Rolfe, Ian Paquette, Jeremy Lapham, Joel Clark, Fawne Packard, Meredith Mason, Benjamin Otten, Jesse Wright, Jon Roche, Eli Mann, and Kyle Moran. Tim LaVallee, athletic director at Gould Academy, accepted a position with the U.S. Ski Team. Marriage: Cathy Davis and Randall Autrey.

20 years ago: Commencement speakers at Telstar Regional High School were Gale Grover, valedictorian; Ellen Clark, salutatorian. Kathy Haskell, first honors. Peter Blake pitched a 9-0 no hitter over Massabesic which earned Telstar Regional High School the Western Maine Class C baseball title. Lew Colby, television weatherman and Maine humorist, was the featured speaker of the evening at the Greater Bethel Chamber of Commerce Awards Banquet at the Bethel Inn. Helen Varner was honored upon her retirement from 43 years of teaching by many friends and former pupils at the Telstar High School auditorium. Birth: Shilo Hutchins. Marriage: Nancy Setson and Kenneth Remsen. Death: Anna Stowell.

30 years ago: The following officers were installed at Mundt-Allen Post, American Legion Auxiliary: president, Helen Smith; first vice president, Edith Smith; secretary, Josephine Tripp; historian, Mona Lowe; chaplain, Esther Dunn; junior past president, Stephanie Thurston. Installing officer was Hilda Donahue. "Peter Pan" and "Manhattan Towers," productions under the direction of Susan Farrar, delighted capacity audiences. Birth: Jeffrey Meaux. Deaths: Howard Greenleaf, Ray Thompson, Wilder Merrill.

40 years ago: Betsy Chapman and Jane Smith entered their baby beef animals at the Eastern States Exposition. Frank Hunt was appointed Civil Defense Director. Delma McMillin was first-place winner of the Cub Scout "Showboat" soap box derby. Purity Chapter #103, OES celebrated its 50th anniversary at Grand Family Night. Births: Dana Melville, Janice Howe.

50 years ago: L.E. Davis leased part of the former corn shop, owned by Fritz Tyler, on Cross Street, Bethel, and started installing equipment to replace the mill recently lost by fire at Middle Intervale. Thomas Jacobs and James Reid were clowns in the annual Gould Academy Physical Education Exhibition held under the direction of Richmond "Joe" Roderick. Earlon "Bud" Paine, U.S. Navy, was stationed at Sampson, N.Y. Deaths: Lura Westlight, Harry Carter, Joseph Baker, Orlando Robbins. --Items in Looking Back are compiled by the Bethel Historical Society from back issues of The Bethel Citizen.

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CARRABASSET VA controlling interest in S partnership will allow expansion.

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Briefly

Killington buys half a Maine loaf

CARRABASSET VALLEY--Vermont-based S-K-I Ltd. has acquired controlling interest in Sugarloaf/USA for an undisclosed price. The new partnership will allow the resort to go ahead with \$4.5 million in planned expansion.

S-K-I owns Killington and Mount Snow in Vermont and Bear Mountain in California, making the company one of the top four U.S. companies in the ski industry in the number of skier visits. S-K-I officials said there are only a few details to wrap up before the deal is complete.

Improvements planned for Sugarloaf include a 7,000-foot high-speed detachable quad chairlift with associated trails and snowmaking. S-K-I is publicly traded on the NASDAQ exchange.

White/brown goods, freon fees dropped

GREENWOOD--The Greenwood and Woodstock stump dump no longer charges for the disposal of brown or white goods. The brown goods' fee was dropped by both towns at their Town Meetings.

The two towns have also dropped the white goods and freon removal fee. Scrap metal dealer John Sylvester has signed a contract recently to remove white goods and any freon contained in them. Sylvester has placed his own storage container at the G&W stump dump, according to Greenwood officials.

Greenwood also has a new Code Enforcement Officer and plumbing inspector. Norm Putnam of Bethel will serve as CEO and John Gauthier of Bethel will be plumbing inspector.

Library grant turned down

WOODSTOCK--The town's application for a \$40,000 state library grant was recently turned down. The town has set aside \$40,000 toward doubling the size of the Whitman Memorial Library. Town Manager Vern Maxfield said he'll apply for the grant again next year, and will continue to ask voters to appropriate more money for library improvements. Maxfield said preliminary plans for the expanded library have been drawn up, and would cost the town about \$115,000.

Ice chunk kills Tuckerman's skier

MOUNT WASHINGTON, N.H.--A Portland woman was killed Saturday and several people were injured when large chunks of ice broke off a steep slope on Tuckerman Ravine. Sarah Nickerson, 25, was killed while she was skiing near Lunch Rock. The woman was the 23rd person to die in the ravine during the past 100 years.

A Rochester man was also injured last week when he was struck by a piece of falling ice. Jim McCarthy, 35, was at Lunch Rock when a large piece of ice broke free from the headway, about 60 feet above him. McCarthy was admitted to a local hospital where he was treated for a fractured vertebrae.

Canada lynx kittens born at game farm

GRAY--The Game Farm in Gray is celebrating the recent birth of a litter of Canada lynx kittens. The number and gender of the kittens will not be known for two or three weeks, because the mother is keeping them hidden in a little wooden house in her cage. She only comes out to eat.

The father is locked away in a cage next door. He will be kept away from the babies because he might kill any males, according to state wildlife officials.

CMP to read meters every other month

AUGUSTA--Beginning in September, Central Maine Power company is planning to read homeowners' meters every other month. A power company employee will read the meter in September, for example, and the homeowner will be billed for the specific amount of electricity used. In October, the CMP will forgo the actual reading and estimate the bill. The plan is designed to save the company money, according to CMP officials. The formula for estimating is based on the weather and the homeowners' history of electricity use. If the company overestimates, they will issue a credit on the bill with interest.

Building permits granted

ANDOVER--The town Planning Board granted several building permits last week. David Lincoln received permission to build a 16-by-20 foot greenhouse. Richard Waterhouse's plan to construct an 8-by-40 foot deck on his Upton Road property was approved. Raymond Robert was granted a permit to build an 8-by-26 foot addition to his Route 120 residence. Cross Road resident Elizabeth Ladd received permission to locate a 24-by-56 foot modular home on her property. The board also asked Code Enforcement Officer John Percival to investigate two possible permit violations. Percival will check out the installation of a mobile home on the property of Darlene Hall of Farmers Hill Road, and another mobile home located on the Route 120 property of Matthew Elliott.

Oldies station moving on the dial

LEWISTON--Fuller-Jeffrey Broadcasting Co., -- the parent company of WBLM, FM 102.9, and new station WSTG, FM 94.3, -- has bought rock 'n' oldies station WXGL, FM 93.9 for an undisclosed sum. The company plans to combine WSTG and WXGL to create one radio station known as FM 94. The change took effect Friday, when WXGL's sound was taken over by a format known as adult album alternative, according to station officials. Another station, WPME 95.5, will pick up the oldies format.

Route 219 home destroyed

WEST PARIS--The Charlotte Kemper farmhouse on Route 219 was destroyed by fire late Sunday evening. Firemen from four towns responded to the fire in the house next to Charan's pool hall on the North Paris Road. No one was at home at the time of the fire, according to witnesses.

Back country trail projects

ROCKLAND--Most of the 1,000 youths and adults who take Hurricane Island Outward Bound School courses in western and northern Maine this summer will perform back country trail service projects in national and state parks. The Outward Bound students will help maintain campsites and outhouse, and clear and improve public hiking trails in the White Mountain National Forest and Grafton Notch State Park.

Andover business moving to Rumford

RUMFORD--Mark P. Dowel of East Andover is moving to the former F.M.I. building in Rumford. Company owner Mark Thurston said his wood products business employs 16 people.

From the Bethel Police log:

Driver flees into woods

Thursday, June 2, police stopped Calvin A. Nicholas III, 36, of North Sebago for speeding. Police administered a field sobriety test, which Nicholas failed, and he was placed under arrest, according to the police report. After the arrest, Nicholas fled into the woods, and police could not find him. His car was towed. He came in to the Bethel Police Office the next day and was summonsed and charged with operating under the influence of an intoxicant, failure to provide proof of insurance and escape from police custody.

In other police news last week, Thursday, a Mason Street resident complained that dogs on Paradise Road were chasing her during her morning run. Police talked to the dogs' owner, who agreed to keep the dogs away from the road.

June 3, a High Street businessman reported the theft of six truck tires valued at \$2,250.

June 2 police arrested Frederick Meader, 56, of Albany on an outstanding Androscoggin Sheriff's Department warrant for failure to appear in court.



STEVE WIGHT

Wight reelected LURC chairman

Steve Wight of Newry has been re-elected chairman of the Maine Land Use Regulation Commission. Wight has served on the gubernatorially appointed commission since 1987 and has held the position of chairman since 1993. Wight has also served as a selectman in the town of Newry since 1976 and is active on various other community boards and committees, particularly those with emphasis on youth, education, and environmental issues.

LURC is the planning and zoning board for the unorganized territories of Maine, overseeing land use and development activities on 10.5 million acres of land and 300 coastal islands. The LURC jurisdiction amounts to approximately one-half the state and one-quarter of New England. During Wight's current term as chairman, the commission will be revising the Comprehensive Land Use Plan, setting the pattern of use of the jurisdiction in the future. Wight will also be serving as presiding officer over the public hearings next month investigating the issues surrounding a proposal to construct a major windpower installation in Eustis.

OXFORD CTY REPUBLICANS

Approximately 70 enthusiastic Republicans gathered at Mount Sugarloaf Grange in Dixfield for a bountiful supper served by the Grange to hear Congressional hopefuls Rep. Richard Bennett (R-Norway), Hollis Greenlaw of Fairfield, and Glenn McNaughton of Greenville discuss issues facing the nation and the Second Congressional District.

These presentations were followed by a lively question and answer session. Rep. Stephen Zinkillon (R-Mount Desert), the other Republican candidate in the primary race, addressed the County Committee at its March meeting.

During the business portion of the meeting, chairman Stan Howe of Bethel reported on the success of the convention and praised all who had made it one of the most successful in years, including state chairman Ken Cole. Howe also introduced a guest of the committee, Justin Gilbert, a Telstar Regional High School freshman who attended the State Convention and worked on behalf of a gubernatorial candidate. The county chairman reported that Becky Kendall of Bethel had been re-elected at the County Caucus during the convention as state committeewoman from Oxford County and that Carl Hansen, also of Bethel, had been selected as state committeeman. Mrs. Kendall, as finance chair for the committee, reported on a number of fund-raising projects and urged towns to meet their 1994 quota of \$1 per registered Republican in order to assist in providing the county with funds for candidates in the fall. As the next meeting date comes on Primary Day, there will be no regular meeting in June, but a picnic will be held later in the month at the home of Rep. Alvin Barth (R-Bethel).

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WHY WHITNEY GETS MY VOTE

To the Editor:

The Chamber certainly did a wonderful job in staging the Selectpersons' Candidate Forum last Wednesday evening. I expect those who attended or watched the Forum on Channel IV would agree. It is refreshing to see four candidates for the one vacancy. All four candidates feel they have something to offer the citizens of Bethel and all are willing to make the commitment if elected. For this all four deserve commendation.

The forum firmed up in my mind exactly who I was going to vote for. In the interests of good will and harmony in the community I shall not attach names to the following expressed views. One candidate stated that the Airport Industrial Park was the place to build a new town garage and salt/sand storage building. Such a stance is so shortsighted that it borders on the ridiculous. Another candidate stated that he did not even know why Bethel had an airport. Equally silly! One candidate stated that he felt that any concessions made available to a developer should also be available to others who might need the same concessions. Two other candidates loudly disagreed with him. Come on folks, whatever happened to the goose and the gander? Two candidates expressed the need for "limited commercial zoning." And pray tell me, what is "limited commercial zoning?" Is it like having a little bit of appendicitis? The subject of zoning has been addressed more than once in the past by the citizens of Bethel. One does not twist the tail of a sleeping tiger!

My vote will certainly be for Richard "Rick" Whitney. I have known Rick for over 20 years. He is a Telstar and University of Maine graduate. Married to a local girl, Ellen Lovejoy, he has two young sons. He has a deep and abiding love for this place we call Maine and the Town of Bethel. As owner of his own business for 15 years, he understands what the "Real World" is all about. On June 14 I shall vote for Rick Whitney and hope that many of you will join me.

John B. Head
Bethel

GREAT FORUM, NOW VOTE

To the Editor:

The voters of Bethel owe a debt of gratitude to the four candidates for selectperson who graciously accepted the challenge of participating in the area's Candidates' Forum last Wednesday night. Without exception, Rick Whitney, Jane Lowe, Harry Faulkner and Larry Smith admirably stated their differences, opinions and attitudes about pertinent issues affecting Bethel's future through this election. Voters who were present or WHO watched the event on Channel 4 gained much needed insight into each candidate's point of view. The response from those I've talked with is overwhelmingly positive.

An event like the forum would not be possible without the support, encouragement and assistance of many. The Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce is to be commended for sponsoring the event along with the Bethel Citizen for providing advertisement as a public service. Linda Varrell, Bill Cousins, Mike Daniels and Jeri Brooks-Greenwell did an excellent job as panelists in the planning and formation of their most relevant questions. Moderator Al Barth was an excellent taskmaster, keeping candidates on line and on time with their responses. And Mike Brown's keen sense of local, hot issues greatly assisted in formation and presentation of areas of question both before and during the Forum.

Lastly, local Channel 4 volunteer Tom Remington and Adult Education Director Cathy Newell did an outstanding job with audio visual setup and presentation of the Forum live to those who could not attend. They have also graciously agreed to replay the Forum tape next Monday, June 13, at 7 p.m., the night before the election. I believe this is what Public Service Television is all about. Great job.

The rest is up to the voters. Please exercise your right to vote next Tuesday.

Bob Law
Bethel

MANY DIFFERENT PEOPLE USE THE AIRPORT

To the Editor:

"I really don't know if there is a need for an airport?" Airport in Bethel? Ask Ed Brown -- it has been there in the Northwest Bethel Road for almost 50 years, and like all other airports it has purposes. From the history I have gathered the Colonel Dyke Field has had many uses and the townspeople have held many different opinions about the facility, but there should be no confusion what it can do for Bethel today. If the above quote is presented as a question then please, do not let it go unanswered. Go ahead, hire some big-shot firm to tell you what has already been told to many towns across our country. Another option would be to visit your airport on occasion and discover for yourself if there is a need.

I believe a good percentage of the citizens in Bethel and surrounding towns see no real advantage of the airport. Yes, its existence does not directly create cash for the town; however, indirectly it's use promises satisfaction for many who in return create economic and social wealth for the town. Here are some recent examples:

Rick and friends from Skidder's Deli enjoyed a scenic flight. Rudy Engholm of Brunswick, journeys with clients staying at the Bethel Inn in support of the Environmental Airforce. Avery Angevine of Bethel visits by air his place of birth. Shinzo Honda, Gould graduate, receives his first pilot's license. An unnamed family benefits from a donated flight for their daughter which otherwise could not be afforded -- thank you, Frank. John Gagne of Auburn uses the courtesy car (donated by Charley Everett of Hanover) to drive to the Bethel Pizza restaurant for lunch. Nick Worden charters an aircraft to Boston so he may make a timely return from a business meeting. George Larson of West Bethel wants to fly in the clouds. Loe Bernier of Waterford trades painting for a flying lesson. Tonya, from somewhere in Massachusetts, enjoys the use of the phone, but not the bathroom and another, Gene Allen of Hanover, enjoys Tuesday night volleyball.

These wonderful people and lots more have all found a need for your airport. For the sake of many, please support those who support the airport.

Daniel Bilodeau
Newry

Senior events live on Channel IV

Channel IV public access cable television plans a live broadcast of three Telstar High School senior events including: Senior Awards, Wednesday at 7 p.m.; "A Coming together of Friends," Thursday at 7:30 p.m. and commencement exercises, Friday at 7:30 p.m.

Hot news tip?

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Newry withdrawal meetings set

By WENDY HANSCOM

Newry selectmen have scheduled a public hearing on July 11 followed by a special Town Meeting and vote on July 21 to consider withdrawing from SAD44.

The public hearing will give voters a chance to air their opinions on Newry's second attempt to leave the district.

On July 21, the town will hold a special Town Meeting and secret ballot vote on whether to start the withdrawal process or not. A simple majority vote is needed to start the process.

If townspeople vote to start the lengthy withdrawal process, a committee will draft a plan to educate the town's students. Another public hearing will be held and, ultimately, two-thirds of town voters must agree to the pull out of the district.

A similar attempt in 1991 failed even though a narrow majority of voters opted for the withdrawal.

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'It wouldn't be possible to stay in business one year, let alone 15, if negative thinking dominated your outlook.'

RICHARD WHITNEY

Faulkner volunteered that if he were a Newry resident, he would "be trying very, very hard to get out of SAD44."

The four agreed that local business should work closely with the school system to provide additional opportunities for local students.

The candidates also agreed that the area needs more economic development, and that realistically such development is likely to come in the service sector.

Low, noting the seasonal nature of much of the service-sector

employment, said the town should seek out more year-round job opportunities.

There was also general agreement that the town committee attempting to market the AIP lots have been doing a good job. Faulkner, however, said, "I just don't know what we need with an airport."

As far as unfunded state mandates were concerned, all four candidates were against them.

They differed, however, in regard to how far the town selectmen should go in working with the school board.

Low, who has served five years on the School Board, said selectmen should attend SAD44 budget meetings. But she also said School Board members should be more sympathetic to the financial burden they are placing on local towns. "A \$7 million school budget is outrageous," she said.

But Faulkner thought it would be pointless for selectmen to attend



'I don't mind spending my money for taxes if I get some services.'

LARRY SMITH



'I'll probably be shot for this, but I guess I could say I'm for a limited type of zoning.'

JANE LOWE

School Board meetings, since they would not be able to have any meaningful input into budgetary decisions.

And Whitney said he had faith in Bethel's school directors to adequately represent the town's interest.

Agreement

There were also broad areas of agreement among the four candidates.

For example, they generally supported the Bethel Station project and felt the town should work with the developers to help ensure its success.

But while Whitney thought any concessions made to Bethel Station should be available "to any business that needs them," Faulkner (termed such a view "shortsighted" and argued that each project should be approached on its own merits.

They also agreed that without change in Augusta, there was little that could be done at the local level to deal with the problem of increasing property taxes.

And they were unanimous in their philosophical opposition to using taxes to underwrite state and federal grant programs -- but also in their pragmatic assessment that as long as such money was out there, Bethel should go after it.

The candidates' forum was moderated by state Rep. Al Barth. Panelists were Linda Varrell, Bill Cousins, Jeri Brooks-Greenwell and Michael Daniels.

A tape of the forum will be broadcast on cablevision Ch. IV on Monday June 13 at 7 p.m. The tape will also be available for viewing in the Adult and Community Education office at Telstar, but viewers should call ahead, 824-2780, to make arrangements.



'If I were a Newry citizen I would be trying very, very hard to get out of SAD44.'

HARRY FAULKNER

NTL

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Bethel will continue to be marketed as a niche locale."

Three NTL programs will also be held at the Summit Hotel in Newry this summer, she said. This is the first time programs have been held at the hotel, she said. Those taking NTL labs at the Summit will study and reside at the hotel.

Scholarships available

NTL is also increasing its efforts to make labs available and affordable to local residents, Schandelmeyer said.

As in the past, NTL lab scholarships are available by applying to NTL headquarters in Alexandria, Va., she said.

But new this year is a program that offers one, half-price lab each week to a SAD44 resident. Week-long NTL labs can cost up to \$1,200. The labs are held Monday through Saturday, morning, noon and evening, Schandelmeyer said.

The half-price labs will be offered first come, first consideration, she said.

A third option for local residents is to be placed on a standby list for a particular course. If there's room in a workshop, someone on the standby list would be notified. That notification might not come until the day before, or the morning of, the lab, Schandelmeyer said, but the cost would be just \$250 for the week.

For more information on scholarship opportunities at NTL call the institute at 824-2151.

Book store open

NTL's Resource Center opens up today. The store offers a wide variety of books on organization development, management, personal and professional growth and more. The book store is open Wednesday through Saturday from noon to 5 p.m.

Garage

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long run, since it is located so far out of the village.

At Monday night's meeting, Selectman Bob Chadbourne proposed that opponents of the AIP site be asked to form a committee to come up with alternatives.

But Selectman Dutch Dresser immediately challenged the proposal, terming it "enormously political."

Dresser, who said he supports the AIP site, claimed that Chadbourne was stacking the deck against that option. "By virtue of appointments you are hand choosing people who will bring back the kind of result you want," he claimed.

Chadbourne acknowledged that it would be politically difficult for the board to reject any recommendation coming from such a committee. But, he said, "I'm more worried about doing nothing. We can't leave Heinie out there on a string."

Following a brief discussion of some alternative sites, the selectmen voted 3 to 1 to form a committee to review the matter. But at the suggestion of Town Clerk Merton Brown it was agreed that the original Cross Street Advisory Committee, rather than a new appointed group, would be asked to tackle the project.

Dresser voted against the proposal; and Thurston, while voting for it, expressed some misgivings: "If they come back with a bunch of turkeys, I'm going to be very reluctant to vote for one," he said.

"Well," Chadbourne replied, "I guess each one of us will have to decide for himself what a turkey is."

The committee is being asked to return to the board with a recommendation by early July.

Station site plan 'complete'

By WENDY HANSCOM

The Bethel Planning Board has accepted the Bethel Station site plan review application as complete, but with a number of items pending.

Now that they have accepted the application, the planners have 30 to hold a public hearing on the project. After the public hearing the board has 30 more days to approve or disapprove the project. Developers, but not the town, may ask for an extension of the approval process.

The board stipulated that the following information is missing and must be provided: a stormwater drainage plan, availability of water -- especially for fire fighting; a list of the possible Site Plan Ordinance waivers needed for the project; a clarification of ownership of utilities in the private and public domain; proof of easements for utilities on private land; impact of project in flood plain; information on how fire protection will be provided; initial plans for construction that are at least 50 to 60 percent complete and plans complete enough for phase two to judge its impact on the town's infrastructure.

Planning board member Reggie Brown said that in accepting the application as complete the board "puts the ball back" in developer Heinie Merrill's court to provide all the information needed to obtain a ruling on the application.

Town ownership of train station proposed

Funders, developers like the idea; but Bethel selectmen don't

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Bethel already owns an airport, but the town's selectmen are unenthusiastic about the possibility of acquiring a train station, and they definitely don't want to get into the bus business.

They are, however, eager to see the town brought up to speed on the Information Superhighway.

Public ownership proposed

As the name "Bethel Station" implies, a train station is slated to be at the heart of the proposed \$25 million Cross Street project. And a bus service is planned to operate between there and Sunday River Ski Resort.

As the project was originally conceived, both the train station and the bus service were to be owned by the project developers.

But Town Manager Madeleine Henley told the Board of Selectmen Monday that representatives of various possible state and federal funding sources have suggested that grant money would be more readily available if the train station and bus service were to be publicly owned.

It has been suggested, she said, that the town underwrite (through grants) the construction of the train station and then lease the facility to the developers to run.

The developers like the idea, she said, because it reduces the amount

of upfront capital they must lay out.

Henley said she had also talked to a number of village merchants who are interested in the idea because it would give the town more control over what goes on at the train station.

For example, she said, a chamber of commerce office could be located in the station -- where staffers would be able to encourage visitors to come into the village rather than to head off directly to Sunday River.

Selectmen unenthused

The town selectmen, however, were cool to the idea -- especially given the possibility that the project could fail economically.

"I'm very reluctant to get involved with this unless we're covered six ways from Sunday to protect the taxpayer," said John Thurston. "If the project goes belly up, we could really be stuck with a white elephant."

Bob Chadbourne agreed. "If a proposal is presented, I'll look at it," he said, "but I'm scared to death of it."

Only Selectman Norman Putnam (who is retiring from the board) appeared to support the concept.

Putnam argued that public transportation is a legitimate town function and "a train station would be acceptable."

But only, he said, if "not a cent of town debt was involved."

None of the selectmen appeared willing to even consider the idea of having the town own the bus service.

"There's no way in hell I'd be in favor of being in the bus business," Chadbourne said.

No one disagreed.

Datafication committee OK'd

The Information Superhighway got a warmer reception. The board approved the formation of a Bethel Datafication Committee to study Selectman "Dutch" Dresser's proposal to wire the town to the Internet (Citizen, May 25).

Dresser, who asked for the committee to be formed, said he was very optimistic that private funding sources could soon be lined up to underwrite the estimated \$40,000 cost of setting up the project.

He said he had no intention of seeking taxpayers' money for the endeavor. "I wouldn't be proposing this to the taxpayers," he said.

The only tax money involved, he said, would be a possible contribution from the school system toward the estimated \$6,000 to \$7,000 annual cost of operating the link-up.

"They're really the ones who will benefit most," Dresser said.

He also said the town would not take on any long term obligation if it took on the project.

The University of Maine will be providing much of the equipment and expertise for the project, he said, and if the town eventually wanted out, "they'd come and pack up their boxes and go home."

Dresser urged that the town be prepared to move fast on the project.

"There's a huge momentum," he said. "The university is panting to do (Bethel) first."

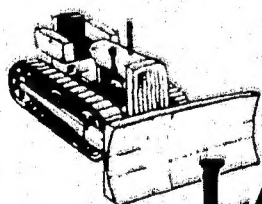
United Vision Cablevision as also been extremely enthusiastic, he said. The cable company would be willing to drop cable leads into key locations in town free of charge, he said, "just as a way to learn how to do this."

The board voted unanimously to set up the committee. Dresser agreed to bring in, at the next selectmen's meeting, a proposed list of core members and a formal charge for the committee.

One of the committee's key charges will be to consider what organization or group would be the best to formally run the program.

The town is an obvious option, but the selectmen agreed that other organizations (for example, Gould Academy or the Bethel Area Development Corporation) might have fewer procedural obstacles to overcome.

"We need to see which one can pick up the ball and run fastest with it," Putnam said.



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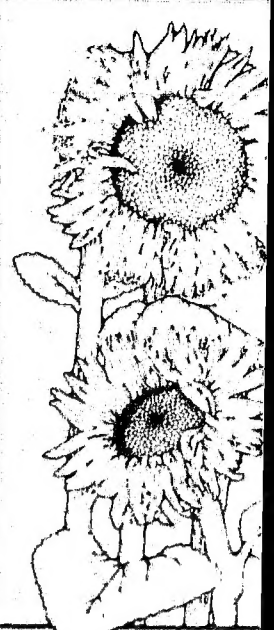
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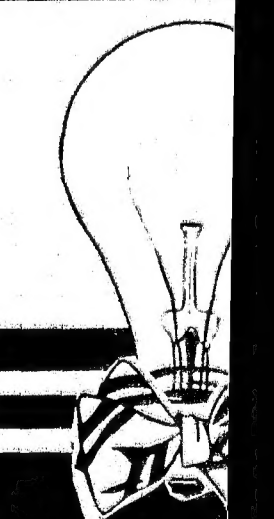
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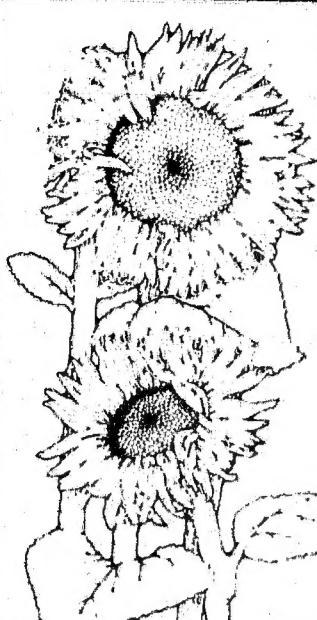
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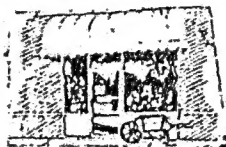
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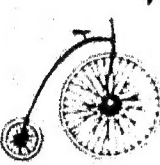


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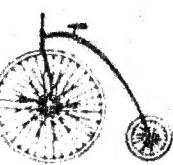
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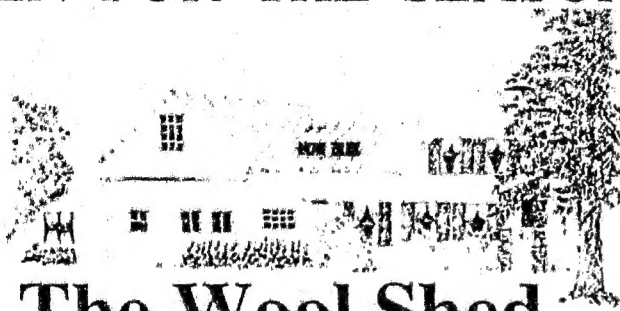
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Andover

By KAREN MCKAY

The First Congregational Church will have a reception on new members on Sunday, June 12, during the 10 a.m. service.

The Community Yard and Craft Sale will be held on Saturday, June 18, on the common from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. Those wishing to reserve spaces should contact Nancy Wardwell at 392-2131. Proceeds from the space rentals will benefit the Old Home Days Committee and be used toward trophies and entertainment fees.

Members of the Andover Service Circle will be canvassing the town over the next few weeks, orders will be taken for their Seventh Annual Community Birthday Calendar. Please support this worthwhile project as the proceeds from the calendar sales go back in to the town as do all the Service Circle Funds. Anyone wishing to reserve space on the common during the Old Home Days celebration on Aug. 6 should contact Judy Michaud at 392-1221.

The Andover Public Library held a trustees meeting on May 31 with eight members present. The group agreed to pursue contractor bids for the replacement of the library roof. It was also agreed that non-residents would be charged an annual fee of \$5 per family for the use of the library beginning July 1. There will be tickets sold on the common on June 18 during the day for a 50/50 drawing. The prize jackpot will be one half of the total earned from ticket sales. You will not need to be present to win. The library will display wedding gowns of any style and age. Please contact Grace or Carol during library hours if you wish to include your dress in the display, 392-4841.

Congratulations to Andover Elementary's Students of the Week—Erica Blood, week of May 20; and Ben Sabin, week of May 27. Congratulations also to the undefeated softball team, awards for the season will be passed out on June 16 with the Field Day Awards.

Get well wishes to Eugene Merrill who was recently hospitalized at St. Mary's in Lewiston.

Bryant Pond

By ALICE HOYT

The state primary voting will be held on Tuesday, June 14. The polls will open at 9 a.m. at the Town Conference Room. Voters wishing to vote must be enrolled in the party of one's choice.

The Historical Society has a book on historic cities. What are your favorite historic places? Curator Larry Billings has given some miniatures to the society. The historical museum preserves important relics of other days. It is significant for everyone. Next meeting is Saturday, June 11. Remember the museum is open Saturdays from 1 to 4 p.m. during the summer months.

Judith Grover Tent 17 will meet on Monday, June 13, for a regular meeting.

The Woodstock Extension will meet on June 15 at Hathaways Hideaway for potluck lunch and planning meeting, 10:30 a.m.

Ken and Jim Hoyt have returned

from New York. They went to help Beth, Steve and Marybeth move to Corning. Joseph and Maggie Hoyt visited their father, James Hoyt, over the weekend.

Ruth Dunham visited her daughter Alberta Scribner and family one day over the weekend.

Beatrice Farnum had supper on Sunday at Stevens' camp on Songo Pond to help celebrate Keith Stevens' birthday with Leatrice and John Chase, Crystal Chase, Aric Beane, Andrew and Rhonda Chase, Helen Chase and Althea, Robert, Keith, Jenny and Daniel Stevens.

The Memorial Day parade was well attended; the band added to the parade.

June 21 is C.W.A. night at Franklin Grange 124 with a 6:30 supper. Remember to decorate an 18-inch straw hat and make a bird house.

Daughters of Union Veterans' Convention will be held in Waterville on June 23 and 24.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Hathaway have been Harriet and Laurence Estes, Phyllis and Reynold Jordan, Debra Millett, and on Saturday the family of Florence Hathaway were guests for lunch before the memorial service. Arthur, Alice and Jane Wardwell called on Memorial Day.

Gilead

By LOUISE LORING

Forty-six years ago this week I, too, was a graduating senior. Still remembered, and nostalgia-wise, is the fresh woody smell of the evergreen boughs used to decorate our high school gymnasium (which we had a "week off" to do) and the heavy scent on graduation night of the gardenias we wore as our class flowers. Happy were the hours that led to this spectacular evening, and what joviality and camaraderie remains steadfast amongst my classmates, even today. Friendship that is true does not diminish with the years, regardless of the changes that time produces. This week, I have a cherished granddaughter who is graduating from Teislar, and leaving behind a treasured part of her life also. She and her peers have a clean slate before them, and it is their choice to write what they may now upon the blackboard of life. Mistakes are not easily erased but can be learned from. As one of my parents used to tell me as I made grave errors of my own -- "Life is but a school, learn its lessons well" -- and following that he would add, "Only a fool makes the same mistake twice. So this member of the Class of '48, joined by all my classmates and those who come before and after, extend to the Class of '94 our sincerest best wishes and congratulations for your future -- for your accomplishments, we honor you. May your graduation day be as sweet as was mine, and live in each one of your memories as alive and well as mine still are today. And remember, "Be curious always! For knowledge will not acquire you, you must acquire it." God Bless and Keep You in His care always.

Linsley Chapman observed her birthday last weekend with a family gathering at her home. Mr. and Mrs.

Chris Chapman and little son Benji traveled here from Ellsworth to be present for the occasion. Also attending were Tim Chapman and friend, and mother Mildred McLain of town.

The Chapman family attended Hugh's graduation from Adult Education, held at the Bethel Inn last Tuesday night. Congratulations are extended to all these people.

On Monday last, Gina Corriveau and Gloria Young decorated the center of town with a pot of flowers, compliments of the Women's Club.

Mrs. Audrey Franklyn entertained Peggy Clark and friend of Wethersfield, Conn., over the long Memorial Weekend.

My husband and I visited family grave sites and placed flowers in Bethel, Locke Mills, Bryant Pond and South Paris. He finished planting our garden upon our return home. I guess (or at least I think) a hungry skunk or coon had a lot of fun mischievously digging up my newly planted azalea bush. As of this writing, when moved to a new location he (or she) has left it alone.

Mildred McLain is still having teeth extracted but soon expects to have bridge work done. She reports feeling 100 percent better since the infected teeth have been removed.

Barbecue parties and outdoor gatherings are still being enjoyed here as we bring our activities out in the great outdoors, spoiled only by mosquitoes and black flies as big as the moose seen tramping leisurely down the highway. A popular scent in the air overpowers the lilacs; it is called "Woodsmen's Delight," others are "Black Flag" and "Raid." Cover all the food and spray, spray, spray!! (We've stayed inside long enough.)

Word was received here late last night that Ellen Amador, our good friend and neighbor, has reportedly gained miraculously from her recent operation. She has been at Stephens Memorial Hospital for the last several weeks. She is eating on her own now and getting about with the aid of a walker. Three cheers for you, Ellen, from all your friends here in Gilead. Ellen will be going to live with her daughter, Peggy Chapman of Brownfield, if she continues to do as well. Cat Scans showed all traces of cancer to have disappeared. A true miracle! I'm sure that Ellen would want me to thank all of you for your many prayers in her behalf. As you can see, miracles DO happen.

Until next week, then -- Keep the Peace!

No. Woodstock

By SHANE BILLINGS

The summer months are finally here and the residents of North Woodstock have been enjoying the warm days.

Mary Gray gave birth to a son, Bryan Scott, on Friday, May 27. Lee and Emma Billings are the proud great-grandparents to the child, who is the second son of Mary and her husband Tim. Linda Tyler of Dixfield is the child's maternal grandmother.

Bridget Billings, Louise Chapman, and Sue, Joelle, and Errol Silver attended the Bryant Pond Memorial Day Parade.

Herschel and Betty Abbott are home from Massachusetts for the summer.

People are working in their gardens all along the street.

That's it from North Woodstock this week.



FACE FIRST INTO THE BANANA CREAM—Almost all of the children at Newry's annual community day Sunday completed in the pie eating contest, while their friends and parents cheered them on. The adults competed later, and Brad Wight was declared the winner. The day's events also included a barbecue, an egg and spoon race, egg toss and softball game.

(Photo by Wendy Hanscom)

Bethel

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Howe were Mrs. Jane Sullivan and Jan Sullivan.

Visitors on Memorial Day were Mrs. Christie Knight of Rumford and Allan and Diane Howe of East Bethel.

East Bethel

By NANCY MERCER

A big thank you to the Jackson-Silver Post of the American Legion of Locke Mills for honoring our war dead.

A big thank you all who came to the East Bethel Cemetery for the Memorial Day service.

Alder River Grange 145 held a meeting on May 27. The Grange will hold three suppers in the fall.

Ken Scribner has been painting the big house at the Hastings' farm.

Lucy Nordahl has been in Rhode Island visiting her mother recently.

Dean Farrar's sister Doris and her husband Leslie Merrill and daughter Donna of Massachusetts visited recently.

Ellen Hastings returned from a three-week visit to Arizona. She said it was HOT.

Marilyn Mollicone, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Grant of Winterport and Alice Grant of Cape Elizabeth visited Leslie Noyes over Memorial Weekend.

Charlene Haines and Jim are in CMMC in Lewiston after an accident on Route 26 coming home from Massachusetts.

Upton

By ARLINE BERNIER

Otis and Virginia Morton of Andover spent the weekend at Umbagog Lake Campgrounds. They visited several people in town showing a 100-plus-year-old picture taken on Mill Hill. The picture showed the Umbagog and Cambridge rivers, some fields which are now forested, the Bert Judkins "Lone Pine" Farm, buildings later owned by Elwin Brown Sr. and now owned by the Harris family, and other buildings.

The Ladies' Aid changed their work meetings from Saturday to Tuesday evening. Basket classes will be held on Thursday evenings through June.

Roger and Alicia Bernier of Norton, Vt.; the Joe Berniers of Lovell; the Browns and Jim Holden of Upton were guests at Heritage Farm all or part of the Memorial Weekend. With "dozer, farm tractor and trucks, they changed the landscape to an extent that I'm still experiencing after shocks.

The Browns entertained the Youth Group from the Praise Assembly of God Church on May 27-29. On Saturday they climbed Table Rock and had a bonfire in the evening, complete with marshmallows and song. Guests included Kim Brown, Jerrod Huston, Hannah Cormier, Izzy Bell, Beth Demers, Brent Lake and friend Jarrod, Amanda Rainville, Joseph Bergeron, Kara Bartlett.

The bears seem to have returned to their more natural habitat after a grand coming-out party and the landfill has been cleaned of the debris left by them and in other ways.

Locke Mills

By LORRAINE MILLS

I must say I am getting off to a rousing start. Two weeks on the job and I already missed a deadline. I believe it was Saturday night when I came to and realized that either Friday had not come or it had come and gone with nary a nudge to remind me that it was news day. This week I have left my correspondence paper in a prominent place, hoping to remind myself. Unfortunately, after a few days, one tends to relegate even the most prominent items to background. I should know. The pig I have prominently displayed above the handle of the refrigerator, the one that says, "you stuff, you puff," does nothing to keep me out of there. In fact, it is so background I forgot that it is not a pig, it's an elephant. I think I've proved my point.

Sunday, I went to the Church of the Nazarene in Bethel where they held, as part of their service, a dedication of a Memorial Roll plaque donated by the family of Thelma Merrill. Each person that had been put on the church's memorial roll has the name engraved on a gold strip which is then attached to the plaque. Since my mother had been placed on the roll after her death and John will be placed on it this coming year, I was invited to attend. The service was very lovely and a nice tribute.

Val Greene, Conn., was at his home here for a couple days over the Memorial Weekend. He cut the lawn and replaced the bird house that blew down during a severe wind blow last month. Unfortunately, the lilac bush wasn't in bloom so he could enjoy them. They are just beginning to show on the bush but, at least, he's willing to share and told us to take what we wanted. There is always an abundance of blooms. Such a lovely scene!

Marcia Smith from Presque Isle is due to come Saturday, June 4. By the time this gets printed she should be here. Since my car is sickly, I am going to Lewiston in a borrowed van to pick her up. From a Honda standard to an automatic van is somewhat of a leap. I trust I shall not make the same mistake in getting out of Lewiston, but that doesn't mean I won't find a different one. Oh, well, it keeps trips from being dull. Actually, so do accidents, but I definitely don't want one. Give me dull every time.

Several people from Lockes, including myself, attended the Drama Night at Teislar last week. The plays are actually more like skits and are somewhat more informal in their staging. Those who missed the production missed a fun evening. I thoroughly enjoyed every one and the cast and crew deserve much praise. I went because Jessica Cantelo was in one, but if one doesn't know any cast member, it's still a good way to spend an evening, and the small admission charge goes to a fund to purchase some needed items for the drama club, so it helps the school also. Keep that in mind for next year!

Diddy Johnson visited her sister-in-law recently in Norway, and they went out to eat in celebration of her birthday, albeit some belated.

North Newry

By GIL SEELEY

The Newry Mothers Club members will meet at 6 p.m. on Monday, the 13th of June at the Town & Country Inn for their annual banquet.

Eight members of the "Newry Bowling Gang" were at the Oxford Lanes, Rumford, last week bowling for fun. They were: Karlene Bachelder, Betsy Clark, Gil Seeley, Louise Tetley, Bea Lowell, Doris Parent, Irene Hadfield and Olive Anderson. Rena Powers and Jim Anderson were guests. On the overall scores, Betsy was high on the triples and singles with one string of 100. Of the "Righties," Louise was high on the triples beating Bea by two pins, but tied with her on the

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Happy Birthday Norman Davis, and daughter Kelsie. He turned five Tuesday, June 7.

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East Ston

By ELEANOR N

Ellery and Dora I Debbie and Junior J Nelson's Camp at W. Saturday, May 28, to sing in and rest and Sunday, Albert Nelson and "Amber" went to their dog "Amber's" funeral. Eric Nelson Young visited them also. Dee and Cheryl Steven and Kyle, who way fishing and camping May 31, Albert and "Asta" went to camp. One's antlers were in the woods. He stood there drinking looking at us a long time.

Saturday, May 28, and Bake Sale at the Church did well again bit helps and even happy with their part to everyone who would. We most always muffins, brownies and sometimes homemade and whoopie pies, etc.

The pancake breakfast Unit was well attended morning. It was ways. We were pleased Littlefield there Paris.

The Daughters of the Civil War 1860 F. Richardson Ter church as a group Memorial Services Roll plaque honor have served our Fryeburg Band can several selections at march to the cemetery the Mill Pond to pay who served at sea. Vices were held at Henry Bickford. T. Directly after, sandwiches and ice-cream served at the church.

Mary and Albert on vacation to visit family in Georgia for Walter Heino is after having his Stephens Memorial way.

Bette and Ed B. their kitchen remodel of North Lovell is for them.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul David were well Gladys Kilgore. They are having home redecoration. The Fox B. work.

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singles. Betsy had two spares and a strike, Gil had two spares, Olive had one spare, Bea had three strikes and two spares, Louise had three spares, and Irene had one strike.

"Not to be taken too seriously".... Happy Birthday to all the people born in the sign of Gemini, May 22-June 21, wherever you are. People born during that time are like twins...two personalities. They are ruthless, calculating, curious, a lover of change, scheming, restless, clever and have dual interests, a changeable mentality. They are witty, logical and talkative and will never do anything because someone tells them to. Their birthstone is agate, which bestows wisdom, wealth and protection against fraud upon the wearer. Their colors are blue, slate, violet and soft brown. Their favorite flowers are lilac, lily-of-the-valley, cornflower, bluebells, and marigolds. Famous people under this sign are: Barbara Bush, George Bush, June 8 and 12. Also my cat "Gemini" who is 11 years old on June 9.

Happy Birthday to Gemini Norman Davis, and his granddaughter Kelsie Hanscom, who turned five Tuesday, June 7. Reminder: The deadline for signing up for the Newry Mothers Club annual trip to Storyland is Wednesday, July 16 by calling Wendy Hanscom at 824-3228.

East Stoneham

By ELEANOR NELSON

Elery and Dora Lawrence and Debbie and Junior Jones went to Nelson's Camp at Wilsons Mills on Saturday, May 28, to get a little fishing in and rest and relaxation. On Sunday, Albert Nelson Jr., Carol and "Amber" went to camp. It was their dog "Amber's" first time to see a moose. Eric Nelson and Tammyson Young visited them while there; also, Dee and Cheryl Barker and Steven and Kyle, who were up that way fishing and camping. Tuesday, May 31, Albert and Eleanor Nelson and "Asta" went to camp there. We saw three nice moose along the way. One's antlers were in nice velvet. He stood there drinking water and looking at us a long time.

Saturday, May 28, the Thrift Shop and Bake Sale at the East Stoneham Church did well again. Every little bit helps and everyone seemed happy with their purchases. Thanks to everyone who works on this project. We most always have cookies, muffins, brownies and much more, sometimes homemade bread, pies and whoopie pies, punch and iced tea.

The pancake breakfast at the Rescue Unit was well attended on Sunday morning. It was delicious as always. We were pleased to see Thaxter Littlefield there from South Paris.

The Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War 1861-1865 Hannah F. Richardson Tent 19 attended church as a group and held Memorial Services at the Honor Roll plaque honoring those who have served our country. The Fryeburg Band came and played several selections and joined in the march to the cemetery, stopping at the Mill Pond to pay tribute to those who served at sea. Cemetery services were held at the grave of Henry Bickford. Taps was played. Directly after, sandwiches, cold drinks and ice-cream cones were served at the church vestry.

Mary and Albert Fox have gone on vacation to visit their son and family in Georgia for a week.

Walter Heino is recovering nicely after having minor surgery at Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway.

Bette and Ed Barker are having their kitchen remodeled. Neil Allen of North Lovell is doing the work for them.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Taylor and son David were weekend guests of Gladys Kilgore this past weekend. They are having her living room all redone. The Fox Bros. are doing that work.

Don't forget to get out to vote at the Primary on Tuesday, June 14. It does make a difference.

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Greenwood City

By COLISTA MORGAN

Across the land the colorful pageantry of another spring has moved in on the wings of a song. Now I can fling all winter thoughts away and let my heart with every robin sing.

The sun floods gently the eastern windows as it comes up, and when it sets casts a soft light behind the supper table.

The ducks quack their morning greeting from the channel down front.

The convention on the telephone wire has begun. Their Party? I know not; who cares? The swallows have come! They are a delightful sight circling in the air; the sun playing on their iridescent greenish-blue backs and their breasts a gleaming pure white. These social gatherers line our wires in close rows. The male utters his sweet little warbling twitter. They are fighting for, and choosing, their homes.

Tail-bobber, Phoebe, perches near my bedroom window and pronounces the name over and over. I wonder if she plans a nest above the same window which she chose last year.

Man about town, Flicker, has been giving his friendly knock, calling our attention to his presence.

I miss the bluebirds. I never even saw one dreamily floating about the lawns last year.

Of course the song sparrow, our native vocalist, greets us all times of the day. I like the quick, bright movement of wild things; the unexpected flash of hidden wings. The earth teams now with its many miracles. A new queen goes to the throne. She is young, she is strong, and she is beautiful. Her name? Nature. Her royal robe is the sky so blue-trimmed in shadows of white and gray.

Over the holidays everyone was busy going visiting or just working. I set out plants and flowers along my walls and small garden. I also mended my fences and put them in place, then mowed my lawns. Leonas, Fay and I visited the cemeteries at West Paris and two in South Paris.

Fay had no one but her husband for dinner on Sunday. That certainly is news! David, Sally and Mary went to Rockland. Ann spent the weekend with friends in Portland. My nephew Dale Mills and his wife Marcia from North Haven Island came to visit me.

On Thursday, May 26, I rode to Yarmouth with Barbara Honkala. She went to get her Aunt Evelyn Tamminen, who came for a visit. It was nice to see both of them again.

I had a birthday party to attend that evening. Mary had her eleventh birthday. Her family, her grampa and gramma, a friend who came with her, and the Piccirillo family joined us for supper, a cake and ice cream. Mary had nice gifts and cards.

Milton and Eleanor Inman went to Cathedral of the Pines over the holidays.

It was good news for my brother, Ernest Curtis, for he came home on Thursday. He has been in the hospital since early last fall, then in a nursing home.

NEWS TIPS

To reach a reporter with a news tip or story request, or to comment on news coverage call Michael Daniels or Wendy Hanscom at 824-2444.

So. Woodstock

By ANDREA WING

Esther Davis enjoyed a visit from her cousin Frank Packard, Nancy, Frank II and wife Eunice also joined him. They all went to Trap Corner Restaurant for a chicken pie dinner. They traveled on to Locke Mills and called on Mansfield Packard and his wife. Later they visited Frank Packard's wife Amy's grave at Mount Abram Cemetery.

Tommy Poland, Dottie Critser and Andrea Wing enjoyed a lunch at Goldstreet Restaurant on Tuesday. Dottie Critser, Andrea's sister, is here from Arizona for a visit this week and to attend the 50th class reunion of Woodstock High School.

Memorial Day, Kellie Hart was the guest for a belated birthday cocktail at her parents' home, Richard and Andrea Wing. Those attending were her parents, Dottie Critser, Rick and Karen Wing and Derek Leonard, Brad, Jennie and Linsey Record, and Kellie's daughters, Sarah and Jessie. Kellie received gifts and chocolate cake and gingerbread with whipped cream were served.

Kellie has been sick with the flu lately. She hopes to be feeling better soon so she can get back to work and to get out and enjoy the nice weather we're having.

Ryan Wing, Andrea's grandson, received an award from Oxford Hills High School for his art work. Good going, Ryan!

In last week's column I neglected to put Ray and Betty Estabrook from Brunswick on the list for attending the family reunion.

Natasha Poland, daughter of Lloyd and Gina Poland, graduated from the eighth grade at Forestdale Church School, South Woodstock, Tuesday night. Congratulations, Natasha!

Wednesday morning, Virginia Mason was hostess at a brunch held at Molly Ockelt Motel. All were cousins who had attended Woodstock Church School. Those attending were: hostess Virginia Mason, Dorothy Davis, Goldie Mason, Evelyn Dunn, Bette Estabrook, Maude Alice Hadley, Cleo Ryerson, Alberta Harlow and Dottie Critser. The gentlemen who joined them left soon after the brunch so the girls could have a gab session and talk about their years at the school.

Larry Billings, curator, Woodstock Historical Society, reports that he has given a green Poland Spring bottle to the society. The society is marking its 15th year with expanded collections in its museum. Many antiques have come in, along with some books. Visit on Saturdays and see.

Quote of the Week: "I've learned that my children's birthdays make me feel older than my own birthday does."

West Paris

By MIRIAM INMAN

Memorial Weekend saw many from town spending the long weekend in Stratton/Eustis; namely, Vance and Connie Bacon, Stan and Maxine Cram, Eldith Lang, Carmen Hadley, De De Chase, Joseph and Peg Perham, Vince and Beverly Stevens, Darcy Robertson and friend, Albert Penley, Jr., Charmaine and Doug, Heather Brown, Wayne and Robert Ross, Walter and Kim Inman, Vernie and Walter, Jr., Marshall Inman, Tony Bouchard, and Vernon and Miriam Inman. Hope I haven't left anyone out! The weather was a little cool but that meant no black flies and mosquitoes. It wasn't swimming weather. Ivan Proctor and Ivan, Jr., and Sid and Cynthia

Scott and grandchildren Zach and Nicole, their mother Julie and friend were at their places on Stoney Brook for the weekend.

Jim and Jean Young and Tim and Patty Poland were at camp on Moosehead Lake and Carpenter Pond several days during the weekend.

Andrew and Cheryl Sholl, Kirby and Caroline of Cranbury, N.J., spent the weekend with her mother Sally Doughty.

The E.B. Forbes-Goodwill Group will gather at Lettie and Carl Brooks' farm at 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday, June 14, for a work session. Martha Day will assist Lettie as hostess.

The Universalist Church Board meeting will be held on Wednesday, June 15, at the home of Robert Clifford at 7 p.m.

Much sympathy is extended to the family of David Dunham. He and his family were former residents in town.

The play, "The Pied Piper," was presented at the Agnes Gray Gym recently by some of the fourth-, fifth-, and sixth-grade students. It was very good as usual. Thanks to all who made it a success.

High Street

West Paris

By RUSSELL YATES

Howdy, folks. It's Monday morning of Memorial Day and time for me to write up my news for the Citizen. It is cloudy here, which doesn't please me, as I had hoped for a nice day for all of those Memorial exercises. Another thing that doesn't please me is that we saw our first woodchuck here this morning as we were eating breakfast, and that means extra problems for me and, hopefully, for woodchuck too.

Peggy was home from work quite early last Monday, and we decided to make good use of the afternoon. We took flowers to put on some of the West Paris Cemetery lots, also two flag holders that I had made to hold Franklin Grange's flag, a wood plane and a wood rasp and a can of WD-40. We stopped at the cemetery in West Paris, but didn't leave any flowers as the cemetery hadn't been mowed. We went on to Franklin Grange Hall in Bryant Pond. We lubricated the casters on the altar with the WD-40 for starters. Then Peggy did some sweeping while I worked with the plane and wood rasp at fixing three doors so that they would open and close like they

should. The flag holders were just right, so we felt that our afternoon had amounted to something.

We had to go down to South Paris Farmers' Union on Tuesday to get some more potting soil and to get some time for the garden. Later in the day, I did some rototilling, and that evening we called on Barbara and Richard Felt in Bryant Pond. We always enjoy hearing of Richard's experiences.

Peggy did her card work again on Thursday, as other plans were in store for Friday. I worked at putting the lime onto the garden spots between showers.

My truck had picked up too much moisture and didn't want to start, but I finally got it running only to learn that the electric fan wasn't working. Some days there is no such thing as being on the winning side.

Friday morning, we took the wheelchair, that was Mother's, and went to Auburn. We met up with Viva's daughter Wynona, at the Odd Fellows Home, as she was preparing her mother to go see the doctor in Portland. We put the wheelchair into her Plymouth Voyager, and Peggy and I joined Wynona and Viva on their trip to Portland for a 10:45 a.m. appointment with Dr. Case. We were there in plenty of time. We used the wheelchair to wheel Viva into the doctor's waiting room, as it bothers her to walk very far, and it worked out quite well. On our way home we stopped to get some lunch at Cole Farms in Gray. We used the wheelchair again to wheel Viva in and found it much easier for her. After a real nice lunch, we returned to the Odd Fellows Home to leave Viva and to pick up Peggy's car. We then went to visit Peggy's daughter and husband, Myrna and Whitey. We had supper with them before returning home, ending quite a full day.

I finally got my trimmer-mower started on Saturday morning, and I mowed beside the big garden up back of our mobile home. Before I had that all done, Myrna and Whitey came from Auburn. Whitey tackled mowing the lawn area here. Soon after I had finished trimming up the sides of the big garden, David Yates, our nephew, came with the tractor to rototill that garden for me. He had one of his nephews with him, and the nephew drove the tractor to do the rototilling. With David's instructions, his nephew did a good job.

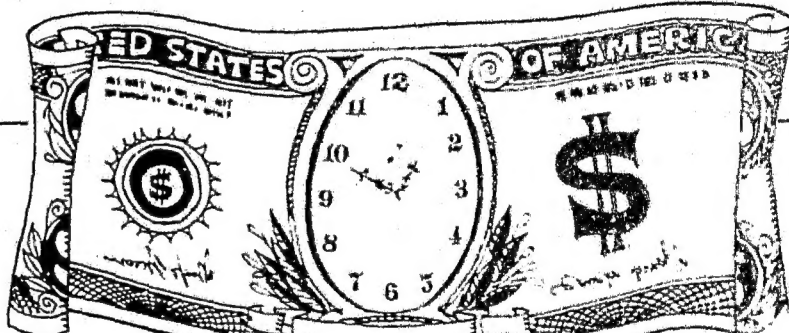
Saturday afternoon, I did more rototilling of small garden plots with my hand rototiller.

As you might have guessed, Peggy spent Saturday evening at the dance. Yesterday, we had been invited to Loretta and Emerson Merrill's for a cookout lunch, so we took flowers to go to the Middle Intervale Cemetery and started on our way. We stopped to look over the goodies at the yard sale on Route 26, where Leora Farrington used to live. Peggy bought a hair dryer and I bought six plastic pails with covers. We then moved on, and after visiting Middle Intervale Cemetery, we went on to Loretta and Emerson Merrill's in West Bethel. Those coming for lunch were Margaret and Alfred Merrill of West Bethel, Tom and Samantha Murch from Waterford, Oscar Annis from Bethel, Peggy and I, also Rusty Merrill and the hosts, Loretta and Emerson. We had a real good visit and lunch and enjoyed our day away from home.

The Lovejoy family visited the cemeteries in Dixfield, Canton and Bethel on Sunday. They also had a cookout at their camp on North Pond. While at their camp, they celebrated Impi Mack's birthday. On their way to Bethel, they saw three moose beside the road, in a swampy area beyond Chadbourn's mill.

There will be a dance at West Paris Grange Hall on June 11 with The Richard Felt Orchestra furnishing the music. A Musical Supper, hosted by Franklin Grange of Bryant Pond, will be served at the American Legion Hall in Locke Mills on Tuesday, July 19, starting at 5:30 p.m. A \$5 supper ticket (\$2.50 for children under 12) will entitle you to a bountiful supper, a variety show, and dancing afterward. We hope that you will take advantage of this bargain and will join us there.

BETHEL MAN DESIGNS PIN FOR STRATHAM, N.H. SPCA Don Best of Bethel was recently commissioned by the Stratham, N.H. Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals to design a pin using the SPCA logo. The pin is made of hand painted museum board with an acrylic finish. The pin has been added to the League of New Hampshire Craftsman's Exeter shop, along with Best's line of jewelry, featuring cats, dogs, pigs, cows, foxes, horses, owls, fish and more. A portion of sales from the SPCA pin will be donated to the Stratham SPCA. The craftsman's league's Exeter shop is located at 61 Water Street in Exeter, N.H.



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1994 TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL AWARDS--Front row: Tim Remington, Co-MVP. Back row: Sean Gilson, Co-MVP and Chris Howe, Coaches Award. (Photo by Wendy Hanscom)

Jackson-Silver Post #68

More than 85 people attended a dinner June 2 at the American Legion Post in Locke Mills to honor veterans of World War II. There are 52 of them who are still members of the Post, and all who came seemed to really enjoy themselves.

It being so close to the June 6 50th anniversary of D-Day, there was special mention of those who were there that day, but they declined to speak about it. However, one who was there five days after the D-Day landings, Roland Lord, spoke about what he saw and said there were scenes he would rather not remember. John Howe was sent from his base in Rhode Island to Bedford, Mass., to help receive casualties who were being returned to the United States.

One of the reasons for holding the banquet was to present Paid-up-for-Life memberships to those members who are veterans of WW II. As their names were called, they came forward to receive their membership cards from Leland Dunham, Commander Earl Tyler and Adjutant Dan Davis.

At the head table were four 50-year members of the Post. They were Leland Dunham, Donald Bennett, John Howe and Irene Stevens (who has 52 years). Also at the head table were Fannie Cummings, past department president; Unit President Noreen Russo; Commander Earl Tyler; District Commander Lester Prue; Department Finance Officer Edward Roach, Jr.; Department Americanism Officer Wilford Barr; Past Department President Carolyn Barr.

The Auxiliary president took this opportunity to also present a Paid-up-for-Life membership to Elsie Bennett, wife of Donald, who had her 80th birthday last month.

This was the first occasion the auxiliary had to try out some of the new equipment recently installed in their kitchen, which is still in the process of being enlarged and remodeled.

Last Sunday, members of the Unit

joined the Post at Memorial Services in Newry, where a new flag was also dedicated. On Monday, they marched in the Memorial Day parade in Locke Mills and participated at the ceremonies at the Honor Roll and cemetery. A quick trip to East Bethel followed, with services at the cemetery there. After lunch, they gathered again at Bryant Pond for the services at the Honor Roll and the march to the Lakeside Cemetery.

Meanwhile, back at the Legion Hall, other members prepared and served lunch to the members of the Leavitt band from Turner. The Unit wishes to thank the members of the Daughters of Union Veterans in Bryant Pond and of the Mundt-Allen Unit of Bethel for contributing food for the lunch. The band had played at the parades and ceremonies in those towns, as well as at Locke Mills.

Also, on Memorial Day a newly planted spruce tree, on the Legion Hall grounds, was dedicated in honor of Vera Cross. She has been the poppy chairman since 1952. It has been her duty to see that a supply of poppies was ordered each year, to select a Poppy Girl, to see that the poppies were distributed and that the funds collected were spent for veterans and/or their families.

She has also been the long-time treasurer of the Unit, a past president several times and a past president of the Oxford County Council Auxiliary twice. She is also one who can always be counted on to help with whatever project is in the works, whether it's cooking a supper, washing dishes, serving refreshments, decorating graves, out-marching younger members in parades, or anywhere else she can serve.

The next meeting will be on June 23 at 7 p.m. instead of the regular meeting night, which falls on the eve of the State Convention where eight members plan to attend. County Council will meet on June 21 at Dixfield, 7:30 p.m.

School sports

Baseball

Telstar 7, Madison 0

The Telstar High School baseball team wrapped up its regular season Wednesday with a 7-0 win over Madison.

Rebel batters were hot. Sean Gilson went two for three, including a double. Clint Myers, Adam Newell, Chris Howe, Cory Koch and Ken Mason each chipped in singles.

Telstar pitcher Tim Remington turned in another outstanding performance on the mound, pitching his second shutout of the season. He allowed five hits, with only one reaching the outfield. Remington struck out 11 batters, while throwing no walks in his seven innings of pitching.

"He had great control of all his pitches," said Coach Robert Remington, "throwing 74 of 98 pitches for strikes.

The Rebels begin Western Maine

Class C championships playoffs Thursday, June 9, at home.

Telstar 5, Mt. Valley 3

Telstar High School held its state Class B opponent Mt. Valley to only four hits on Monday, May 30, beating the Falcons 5-3.

Sean Gilson went two for three scoring two runs and Tim Remington, Clint Myers, Wade Luxton and Cory Koch each had one hit.

Telstar's big inning was the third, when Luxton hit a two-out double over the center fielder's head, driving in three runs.

Rebel senior Gilson had his best outing yet, according to Coach Robert Remington, pitching his last regular season game for Telstar. Gilson held the Falcons to four hits. He struck out 12 batters, including the cleanup and number five hitters every time they stepped up to the plate.

Gould has new strategic plan

The Gould Academy Board of Trustees met in May and gave conceptual approval to a strategic plan that sets the stage for facility and curricular changes for the year 2000.

Current initiatives include expanding the performing arts program, considering the implications on the curriculum of both societal shifts and the possibilities created by MERLYN, the school's campus-wide Internet-connected computer network, and developing new programs in snowboarding, freestyle, and competitive alpine skiing with nearby Sunday River Ski Resort.

Local trustees include: Richard H. Penley of Bethel, David B. Hawkes of Locke Mills, Lee F. Carroll of Gorham, N.H., and Leslie B. Otten of Newry.

Retiring trustee and former Mayville resident Carolyn Wight Harrison was honored for her 23 years of service as a member of the Gould board of trustees with a gala dinner party in Bethel, attended by over 100 invited guests at the Bingham House.

NEWRY IRELAND YOUTHS ARRIVING THIS MONTH

Twelve teens from Newry, Ireland will be visiting Newry, Maine and the surrounding area from June 25 to July 9.

Sponsors of the Irish-American Youth Exchange held a car wash, dance and sold calendars to raise \$3,000 for activities during the two week visit.

During their stay the Irish teens and their host families will visit several local attractions including the Moses Mason House and local lumber mills, ski areas, farms, and logging operations.

The group will also take a two-day canoe trip, travel to the state capitol and museum, shop at L.L. Bean, take a three-day trip to the coast and explore the greater Boston area.

A potluck community supper will be held on Thursday, June 30 at the Bethel Alliance Church. On July 3, the group will attend church at the Newry Community Church, followed by a picnic at the town municipal building.

DINNER WITH DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES ON JUNE 8

The Bethel Democratic Committee will host a potluck dinner with state democratic candidates on Wednesday, June 8, 6 p.m. at the Methodist Church.

Candidates planning to attend include: Dick Barringer, Donnell Carroll, Mary Cathcart, Jean Hay, Shawn Hallisey, Janet Mills, Jim Mitchell, Jim Wilfong and Bob Woodbury.

For more information, call 824-2230 or 824-2686.

GULF WAR VETS WANTED BY VETERANS SERVICES

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Veterans can call the Division of Veterans Services at 795-4590 or go to the office on 200 Main Street in Lewiston.

KIDS FOR TREES MARKS SIXTH YEAR OF PLANTING

Telstar High School's class of 2003 recently met at SAD44's Kids for Trees lot. The 95 third-graders from Andover, Woodstock and Crescent park schools worked at the lot with Jim Chandler, educational coordinator from Oxford County Soil and Water Conservation District, and teachers Carol Stuart, Brenda Wight, Jean Gardner, Bernice Caddigan and Shirley Merrill.

Several parent-volunteers also helped the young foresters measure the planting grid, make a map of the lot and learn how to identify native conifers.

This is the sixth year that Kids for Trees has been part of the SAD44 science curriculum.



TELSTAR MIDDLE SCHOOL 1993-94 MATH TEAM--Attending the May 26 regional math meet at the University of Southern Maine were Telstar Middle Schoolers, sixth-graders: Marty Odlin, Colin Reuter, Lydia Mills, Abbie Bean, Sarah Rachliffe and Anna Sysko. Seventh-graders: Chris Brooks, Julie Burgi, Heidi Kanes, Sarah Paul, Casey Brown and Jeff Chandler. Eighth-graders: Caitlin Bass, Teri Chadbourne, Martha Grover, Michelle McInnis, Monica Smith and Lourie Young. Math team supervisors are Linda Davis, Sonja Davis and Nancy Grover.



1994 TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL TRACK AWARDS--Front row (from left): Melissa Howe, Field Events Award; Todd Wing, Field Events MVP and Mountain Valley Conference Second Team All-Star, and Darrah Howard, Rookie-of-the-Year. Back row: Justin Hutchins, Coaches Award; Ian Richardson, Hustle Award and Amy Howe, MVP. (Photo by Wendy Hanscom)

FROM THE

Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce

Many thanks to the Powell family for hosting a Business After Hours on June 6 at their Route 2 campground in Hanover. Any chamber members who would like to place their business cards or brochure on the NTL Welcome Table are encouraged to bring a quantity to the chamber office as soon as possible. The chamber is looking for volunteers to help with the Fourth of July Festival on July 2 and 3. Help is needed serving beverages, with children's activities, with set up (six people are needed to help set up a tent on July 1), selling raffle tickets and duck race chances and more. Anyone interested, call the office at 824-2282.

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College grad

Jennifer M.K. L. Paris graduated from college in Portland and received an associate's degree in medical assisting.

Denise Gauthier, late Arthur and Jack Bethel was awarded bachelor of science degree, cum laude, from University of New England.

JEFF MILLS RECI

Jeff Mills, former and representative Maine, graduated with degree in higher education from Arizona State University. ASU is located in the heart of metropolitan area.

Mills graduated with his program and was Phi Kappa Phi society, which admits ten percent of the graduating class.

He has been accepted for Ph.D. program at studies. This progression of his interests in law, and higher education.

Mills is working as the vice president Relations as a representative university at the state and other government. He plans on continuing the University of Arizona while pursuing his ASU to plan Bowl, which will be State's Sun Devil Series.

He is currently a second-grade teacher in their four-year-old.

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1994 TELSTAR HIGH SCHOOL SOFTBALL AWARDS--From left: Becky Chandler, Coaches Award and Sarah Richardson, Defensive Award. Absent from photo: Dawn Seames, Seniors' Award.

College graduates Dean's list

Jennifer M.K. Libby of West Paris graduated from Andover College in Portland on June 4. She received an associate degree in medical assisting.

Denise Gauthier, daughter of the late Arthur and Jackie Gauthier, of Bethel was awarded the degree of bachelor of science in physical therapy, cum laude, on May 7 at the University of New England College of Arts and Sciences in Biddeford.

At Champlain College:
Jennie E. Cooley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cooley of Bethel is on the second semester Dean's list at Champlain College.

She is a senior in the executive administrative assistant program.

Cooley is a graduate of Telstar High School.

DARE GRADUATES JUNE 18
This year's Drug Awareness and Resistance Education graduation ceremonies will be held Saturday, June 18 at 2 p.m. in the Telstar High School auditorium.

The sixth-grade DARE graduates will receive a diploma and a T-shirt.

school lunch menu

WEEK OF JUNE 13
SAD44 Breakfast Program
Monday: Enriched super donut, crackers/granola, chilled milk.
Tuesday: Cereal, fruit juice, crackers/granola, chilled milk.
Wednesday: Apple turnover, chilled milk.
Thursday: Cereal, fruit juice, crackers/granola, chilled milk.
Friday: Summer vacation starts.

SAD44 Lunch Program
Monday: Cheeseburger on a hot bun, garden peas, chilled pineapple.
Tuesday: Cooks' choice of meat, potato puffs, hot bun, carrot coins, fruit.
Wednesday: Two tacos with lettuce, tomato and cheese, golden corn, chilled peaches.
Thursday: Pepperoni pizza, green beans, chilled fruit.
Friday: Summer vacation starts.

Oxford Hills Lunch Program
Monday: Peanut butter and jelly sandwich, cheese fingers, veggie sticks, fruit.
Tuesday: Dagwood sandwich, cucumber slices, fresh fruit.
Wednesday: Chef's special day. Last day of classes.

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CPS STAFF HONORED--Attending a Project Seed recognition dinner in Augusta recently were Crescent Park School staff members (from left) Brenda Wight, Heidi Steel, Ellen Greeke, Jennifer VanDeusen, Project SEED Coordinator, Judy Coolidge and David Murphy.

Crescent Park School staff recognized in Augusta

Five Crescent Park School staff members were recently recognized at a dinner in Augusta for their work with Project Seed, a program sponsored by the Maine Center for Educational Services in Auburn.

This is the third year that CPS educators have been recognized for creative Project Seed projects and programs.

Project Seed participants become part of a national teachers' network called IMPACT II, which links educators in 26 sites around the country.

This year's recognition dinner

was held in the Maine State Museum in Augusta. Project Seed developers toured the museum prior to the awards banquet, which was held in the museum's main lobby.

In July, CPS teachers will attend the Summer Institute where they will receive training in presentation skills, networking strategies, and project-packet development. They will also receive a modem and training in how to use ME-LINK, a statewide electronic network for educators. All projects are published in a catalog sent to every teacher in Maine in the fall.

In the first year of the program, 18 technology projects were featured in the SEED catalog. Forty-one technology and/or school health education projects were offered last year. This year, the center received 151 applications and were able to fund 93 projects.

Crescent Park staff members that have been involved all three years include: 1992-93, Linda Kuzyk; 1993-94, Kathy Acker, Bernice Caddigan, Ellen Greeke, Dave Murphy; 1994-95, Judy Coolidge, Brenda Wight, Heidi Steele, Ellen Greeke, Dave Murphy.

PARKING LOT SALE!
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JEFF MILLS RECEIVES M.A.

Jeff Mills, former state senator and representative for western Maine, graduated with a master's degree in higher education administration from Arizona State University. ASU is located in Tempe, in the heart of the Phoenix metropolitan area.

Mills graduated valedictorian of his program and was inducted into Phi Kappa Phi national honor society, which admits only the top ten percent of the entire university graduating class.

He has been accepted into the Ph.D. program at ASU for policy studies. This program is a combination of his interests in government, law, and higher education.

Mills is working at the office of the vice president for University Relations as a representative of the university at the state Legislature and other governmental functions. He plans on continuing to work at the University Relations office while pursuing his Ph.D., and helping ASU to plan the 1996 Super Bowl, which will be held at Arizona State's Sun Devil Stadium.

He is currently residing in Mesa, Ariz., with his wife Tammy, a second-grade teacher in Tempe, and their four-year-old daughter, Olivia.

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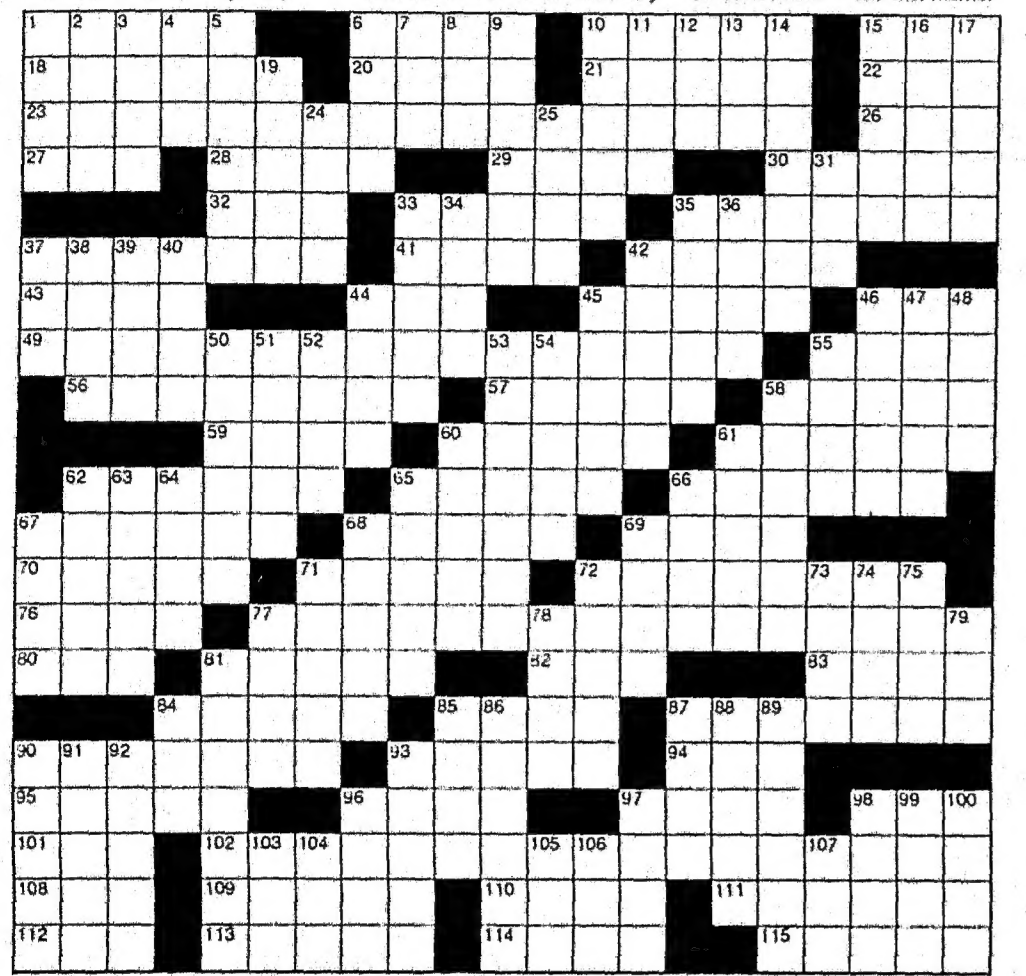
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SINGING AND DANCING A MERMAID'S TALE-The Children's Dance Theater of Bethel will present their version of the "Little Mermaid" on July 16 and 17. The story is an adventure fantasy set under the sea. Mermaids are supposed to stay under the sea, but when a head-strong teenager comes up above water she falls in love with a human prince, much to the dismay of her father, King Triton. She visits the sea witch, who turns her into a human in exchange for her golden voice. The mermaid's sea friends help her gain the love of her prince in a thrilling race against time. Performers include (front row, from left): Donna Lawrence, sea creature. Second row: Monica Rolfe, crab; Tiffany Jordan, flounder; Michelle Deegan, Max the dog; and Cheryl Meyers, mermaid. Back row: Aaron Paul, prince; Quentin Stockwell, beanie; and Lydia Mills, sea hawk.

The Children's Dance Theater of Bethel
presents
"Our Very Own Mermaid"
Susan Clement Farrar, Director
Helen Berry Auditorium, Telstar High School
Matinee: Thursday, June 16th, 4 pm Adm. \$6 everyone
Evening Show: Friday, June 17th, 7 pm Adm. \$8 everyone
Advance Sales at Preb's and Fashion Basket, Main Street, Bethel

News from the
The Bethel Library

The first delivery has been made in the Bethel Library's new service to senior citizens, shut-ins, and handicapped people. If you or someone you know would benefit from this program, please call the Bethel Library at 824-2520 or Librarian Betsy Raymond at 824-2261 and the books, audio tapes, video tapes, or magazines will be delivered to your door as quickly as possible.

Thanks to the workers, donors and shoppers who made the recent Perennial Plant Sale a great success for the fifth year in a row. It is wonderful to see so much community support for the library.

Plans are shaping up for children's summer activities at the library. There will be a Summer Reading Program for all elementary school children, with a field trip in August for all successful participants. Preschoolers may also take part in the Summer Reading Program, though it is geared for school-age children.

In the planning stages at this time: An American Girls Doll Party, field games, children's magic show, and Mad Scientist Party.

The "Check It Out" foreign and classic movies for the month of June are: "The Heart of the Day," "A Night at the Opera," "In Memoriam," "Street Angel," "The Good Earth," "The Castle," "Billy Budd," "King of the Roaring 20's," "Anne of Green Gables," and "The Emperor's New Clothes."

New books added to the library's permanent collection recently: Mary Higgins Clark, "Remember Me," Carol Higgins Clark, "Deeked," Olive Cussler, "Inca Gold," Burton Anderson, "Treasures of the Italian Table," Charlotte MacLeod, "Something in the Water," Rosic Daley, "In the Kitchen with Rosie," Jeremy Treglown, "Roald Dahl: A Biography," Marion Zimmer Bradley, "The Forest House," and Thomas Flanagan, "The End of the Hunt."

Two gift books were given to the library recently. Eleanor Beebe gave Lois Lowry's "The Giver" in honor of her three grandchildren, Gail, Jay and Andy Aloisio. Dan and Julie Hart gave Marc Brown's "Arthur's Tooth" in honor of daughter Lindsay's sixth birthday.

Betsy Raymond
Librarian

CHRIS HEARD TO PERFORM

Singer/guitarist Chris Heard will be in concert at the Praise Assembly of God Church, East Andover Road, Rumford Center, on June 12, 6:30 p.m. Heard offers a live acoustic concert and shares a wide range of Christian music.

The Bethel Citizen for complete local news coverage

Community Calendar

ACTIVITIES

Thursdays-Sale of vegetarian food (proceeds benefit the Forestdale School) at Thurlow Hall, Perkins Valley Road, Woodstock. For information call 674-2971.
Monday nights, mountain bike rides for all levels leaving from the Great American Bike Renting Company, Sunday River Road, 6 p.m., \$24-30. No charge, fun ride.
Tuesday nights, 6 p.m. to dark--Outdoor Recreational Volleyball for the public at the Col. Dyke Airport, Bethel. Courts provided by Bethel Air Service. Bring own volleyball. For more information call 824-4321.
Wednesdays beginning June 15 (8 wks.), 7 to 8:30 a.m.--"Yoga and Movement Theory" at Ethel Bisbee School. Wear comfortable clothing and bring a mat or blanket. Cost: \$55. Sponsored by Riverside Therapeutics, 3 Broad Street, Bethel. To register call 824-3889.
Thursdays (June 23, 30, July 7, 14), 8:30 to 10 a.m.--"Movement in Water," sponsored by Riverside Therapeutics at Bethel Inn Country Club. Combines western stretching and eastern yoga techniques under water. Call 824-3889 to register.
Now through June 16, Newry children going on the Mothers Club annual trip to Storyland on June 22 must sign up by calling Brian or Wendy Hanscom at 824-3228.
Wednesday, June 8, 6 p.m.--Bethel Democratic Committee will sponsor Dinner with the Candidates at the Bethel Methodist Church, Main Street. Dinner will be potluck and everyone invited. Bring favorite dish. For information call Jody Carter (824-2230) or Ginger Kelley (824-2686).
Bethel Senior Citizens' dinner/meeting at Sudbury Inn. Cost: \$8.
Thursday, June 9, 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. with social hour and supper after--Search conference on the future of the Androscoggin River and watershed at the Bethel Inn. For more information, call Pauline Pare at the Androscoggin Soil Conservation Service, Lewiston, 783-9196.
Friday, June 10, Telstar High School graduation, 7:30 p.m. in the gym.
Saturday, June 11, 5 to 7 p.m.--Roast Beef Supper, Center Lovell Fire Station, to benefit Lovell Volunteer Fire Department.

Bethel Gardening Club meeting, 4 p.m. All interested invited to attend. Call Carol Nielsen at 824-2465 for information.
Workshop on prevention and control of soil erosion, conducted by Jim Chandler at the Maine Conservation School, Bryant Pond.
Sunday, June 12, 7 to 9:30 a.m.--Breakfast (pancakes, ham, eggs, toast, juice, coffee) at Kezar Lake Grange, North Lovell.
Monday, June 13, 7 p.m.--Ellis River Riders Horse Club, Andover, regular meeting at the Fire Station. Members and friends urged to attend. For information call Debbie Cayer at 392-2381.
Annual Meeting of Middle Intervale Meeting House Society, 7 p.m., election of officers.
Wednesday, June 15--The Knitting Guild of America, Mt. View Knitters' machine knitters will meet. Call 452-2494 for details. All welcome.
The Center for Renewal, Harrison, will offer eight-week Centering Prayer Group for Men, an easy-to-learn meditative discipline deeply rooted in the Judeo-Christian tradition, starting June 15, 7 to 9 p.m. Cost: \$100. To register or for information, contact Steve Bunnell at 743-5275.
June 15-19--Holy Family Parish, 607 Sabattus Street, Lewiston, will hold annual "Holy Family Days" festival with Smokey's Carnival, old car exhibit, karate demonstration, Chick-A-Dee Cloggers, games, crafts, food concessions, Ice Cream Shoppe, bean supper at 4 p.m. on Saturday, June 15 followed by a Super Beano. Sunday noon dinner and much more. For information call the parish rectory at 782-8928.
June 17-19--Trek Across Maine--Sunday River to the Sea, sponsored by American Lung Association. For information call 1-800-458-6472.
Saturday, June 18, Andover Community Yard and Craft Fair. To reserve spaces, tables, etc., call Nancy Wardwell at 392-2131.
DARE graduation, Telstar High School auditorium, 2 p.m.
Wednesday, June 22, annual Newry Mothers Club trip to Storyland.
July 1-4--Bethel Fourth of July Celebration Days. Activities for everyone.

DISTRICT EXCHANGE

Open every Monday 1-4 p.m., Thursday, 4-8 p.m. and the first Saturday of each month from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Ethel Bisbee School, Bethel. Clothing on sale, food available for those in need.

SAFER FAMILIES

Safer Families of Oxford County sponsors free and confidential domestic violence services and support groups for presently or formerly abused women. Meetings are held in Bethel at 6:30 p.m. in Rumford on Tuesdays at 9 a.m. and in South Paris at 9:30 p.m. The Safer Families toll free 24-hour help and crisis hotline is 1-800-520-4220. For more information call 824-4222 or 1-800-520-4220 (24-hours a day).

ABUSED WOMEN'S ADVOCACY PROGRAM

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and sponsors free and confidential services for presently or formerly abused women. Rumford office--369-0750; 24-hour hotline 1-800-559-2927.

LIBRARY HOURS

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Tel. 392-4841.
Bethel Library: Monday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.; Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-5 p.m.; 6-8 p.m.; Thursday 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 4-8 p.m.; Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Story Hour for preschoolers, Thursday, 10-11 a.m. (September through May). Betsy Raymond, Librarian.
Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Library hours: Tuesday and Thursday, 1-6:30 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m. to noon.
Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday, 11:30-5:30; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9 p.m. Tel. 743-2980.
West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 3-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m.
Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August. Story Hour, 10:30 a.m.

REACH

Rape Ed. and Crisis Hotline 1-800-622-2365. Sexual abuse helpline. 743-9777. Past or present victims of abuse.

CHURCH SERVICES

Bethel
West Parish Congregational--Rev. Brendon Bass and Rev. Jean Bass, worship service 10:30 a.m.
Church of the Nazarene--Rev. John Grant, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 10:30 a.m. morning worship. 6 p.m. evening service.
Our Lady of the Snows--Rev. Albert B. Colpitts, Mass--Saturday, 4:30 p.m.
Bethel Alliance Church--Rev. Nathan Seckinger, 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship service. 6 p.m. evening service.
United Methodist--Rev. Henry S. Nickerson, 9:30 a.m. worship.
West Bethel Union--Rev. John Williams, 9:15 a.m. worship and church school.
Pleasant Valley Bible--Rev. Ron Provencher, 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship.
Woodstock
Bryant Pond Baptist--Rev. Linwood Hanson, 9:15 a.m. Sunday school. 10:30 a.m. worship service. 6 p.m. evening service.
Universalist Church of Bryant Pond--Guest ministers, 9 a.m. worship service. Olga Gellatly, organist.
Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist--Pastor Michael Cabana, Saturday, 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.
Andover
First Congregational Church--Pastor Jane Rich, 9:45 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship service.
Calvary Congregational Church--Rev. Duane Waite, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 10:45 a.m. worship service.
Locke Mills
Locke Mills Union--Rev. Deborah M. Jenks, 9 a.m. worship and Sunday school.
East Stoneham
East Stoneham Congregational--Rev. Janice Wilcox, 10 a.m. worship in February, April, June, August, October and December. 9 a.m. church school (Oct.-June).
Newry
Newry Community Church--Rodney H. Hanscom, 9 a.m. worship service.

MONTHLY MEETINGS

First Wednesday: Purity Chapter 102, OES, 6:30 supper, 7:30 meeting.
Greenwood Historical Society meets at the Society Building, Main St., Locke Mills, 7:30 p.m.
Gilead selectmen meet at the Town Office, 7 p.m.
First and Third Wednesday: Newry Planning Board, Town Office, 7 p.m.
Second and Fourth Wednesday: Bethel Planning Board meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.
Every Thursday: West Paris Board of Selectmen meet at the Town office, 6:30 p.m.
First Thursday: United Methodist Women meet at the Bethel Methodist Church at 1 p.m.
Upson Board of Selectmen meets, 6 p.m.
Bethel Historical Society, Dr. Moses Mason House, 7:30 p.m.
Second Thursday: Board of Directors of Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce meets at the Bethel Area Health Center, 7:30 a.m.
Newry Fire Auxiliary meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.
Bethel Lodge No 97, AF & AM, CFS/PTA will meet from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. Babysitting provided.
The Bethel VFW Memorial Post 11363 meets at the Methodist Church on Main Street at 7 p.m.
First and Third Thursday: Jackson-Silver Post, Locke Mills, 7 p.m.
Every Friday: Game Party at Jackson-Silver Post No. 68, Gore Road, Locke Mills, 6 p.m.
First Friday: The Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association meets at 7 p.m. at the Newry home of Norman and Eleanor Davis, 824-2844.
Third Friday: Mt. Abram Lodge, IOOF, 7:30 p.m.
Every Sunday: Western Mountains Meditation Group, Center for Natural Healing, 47 Pioneer Street, West Paris, 9:30 a.m. 674-3961.
Third Sunday: Episcopalians House Church at the Bohrs on Chapman Street, Bethel, 4 p.m., 824-2913.
First Monday: Newry Community Ladies' Circle, 12:30 p.m.
Second and fourth Monday: SAD44 Board of Directors meets in Bethel, Woodstock or Andover at

7:30 p.m. Call 824-2185 for meeting place.
The Gilead Fire Department meets at the Fire Station at 7 p.m.
Second Monday: Newry Mother's Club meets, 7:30 p.m.
Third Monday: Mundt-Allen pot luck supper and meeting. Supper starts at 6:30 p.m.
First and Third Monday: Bethel Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.
First Tuesday: Three Rivers Sportsmans Club, Hanover I of P Hall, 6:30 p.m. potluck supper followed by a meeting.
Second Tuesday: Mundt-Allen Post, American Legion, meeting at 7:30 p.m.
LaLeche League, nursing mothers, meet at 10 a.m. at area members homes Call 836-3567 for more information.
Every Tuesday: Bethel Rotary Club meets at The Bethel Inn, 7:30 a.m.
Greenwood Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office 7 p.m.
Andover Board of Selectmen meets at the Town office, 6 p.m.
Newry Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 9 a.m.
First and Third Tuesday: Woodstock Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 5 p.m.
The Greater Rumford Alliance for the Mentally Ill-Children and Adolescent Network (GRAMIL-CAN) Support, education and advocacy. Meets in the Former St. John's rectory from 6:30-8:00 p.m. in Rumford. Contact Diane at 369-0542.
Cross-Country Quilters meet at the Bethel Library from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.
The Bethel Lions Club meets at the Lions Den on Main Street at 7 p.m.
Second and Fourth Tuesday: Woodstock Planning Board meets at 7 p.m.
Third Tuesday: Pine Tree Legal Assistance at Bethel Area Health Center, starting at 10 a.m.
Bethel Lions Club meets at the Bethel Lions Den, Main St., Social hour--6:30-7 p.m. Dinner at 7 p.m. followed by meeting.
Telstar High School Project Graduation Committee meeting, 6 to 8 p.m., room 106 at Telstar.
Items for the Community Calendar may be brought to The Bethel Citizen office or mailed in or phoned in at 824-2444.

Thurston Bass build

J.A. Thurston Co. is expanding its wood mill. The company is buying the former G. building on Route 2 which has been vacant years.
David Thurston, owner of the company mill's shavings and will remain at the while the finishing process will be moving.
J.A. Thurston employees, Thurston said, will probably create a former Bass building, 75,000 square feet, and the company sh in by fall.

ANDROSCOGGIN SEARCH CONFERENCE

A conference on the Androscoggin River will be held at the Thursday June 9. The part of an initiative Maine Department of Protection in the fall prove the water quality and its watershed citizens in this effort.
Twelve local groups from throughout the identifying water quality projects to Lewiston-Auburn composed of municipal, educational, non-profit representatives taken on organizing conference as one of its.
About 70 individuals different groups will future of the watershed will be in the conference. The conference are to inspect the river in the future and to a future for the watershed. Participants cover what they have with regard to the of the watershed and the use of the watershed is on listening in the discussion.
Stakeholders from New Hampshire will include representatives water treatment municipal government, recreation agricultural agencies, farmers, legislators, educators, and concerned teenagers.
The conference by the DEP and private industry, municipal, and private.
The search conference, Thursday, June 9, end at 5:30 p.m. will be a social hour.
For more information, Pauline Pare at the Soil Conservation Lewiston at 783-9

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J.A. Thurston employs about 60 people. Thurston said the expansion will probably create more jobs. The former Bass building is roughly 75,000 square feet, Thurston said, and the company should be moved in by fall.

ANDROSCOGGIN RIVER SEARCH CONFERENCE

A conference on the future of the Androscoggin River and watershed will be held at the Bethel Inn on Thursday June 9. The conference is part of an initiative begun by the Maine Department of Environmental Protection in the fall of 1993 to improve the water quality of the river and its watershed and to involve citizens in this effort.

Twelve local guidance teams from throughout the watershed are identifying water quality improvement projects to work on. The Lewiston-Auburn Guidance Team, composed of municipal, environmental, educational, business, and non-profit representatives, has taken on organizing the search conference as one of its projects.

About 70 individuals representing different groups with a stake in the future of the river and the watershed will be invited to attend the conference. The goals of the conference are to map the forces affecting the river in the past, present, and future and to agree on an ideal future for the Androscoggin watershed. Participants will discover what they have in common with regard to their understanding of the watershed and their goals for the use of the watershed. The emphasis is on listening and participating in the discussion.

Stakeholders from Maine and New Hampshire who will be attending include representatives from water treatment authorities, municipal government, power generators, recreation organizations, agricultural agencies, environmental groups, farmers and foresters, legislators, educators, private industry, and concerned citizens, including teenagers.

The conference is being funded by the DEP and donations from private industry, municipalities, non-profits, and private individuals.

The search conference will begin Thursday, June 9, at 8:30 a.m. and end at 5:30 p.m. Afterwards, there will be a social hour and supper.

For more information, contact Pauline Pare at the Androscoggin Soil Conservation Service in Lewiston at 783-9196.



1994 SAD44 ADULT EDUCATION GRADUATES—Front row (from left): Hugh Chapman, Ivy Robertson, Laurie Hart, Susan Cray, Faith Walker, Kelly Hart, Lisa Crockett, Tammy Standeven and Connie Rice. Back row: Fred Curtis, Mandy Smith, Estelle Roberts, Jake

Annis, Kelly Carter, Heather Mason, Dan Thibodeau, Bob Graham, Ron Lariviere, Matt Leonard and Brian Larson. Absent from the photo: Garth Conrad and Gina Poland. (Photo by Wendy Hanscom)

Postal Service offers business program

The U.S. Postal Service has introduced a new partnership program that it claims can help business customers lower their postage costs and mail more efficiently.

The Business Partners program is being offered through the Postal Service's Business Centers in over 100 sites. Potential partners are private companies that offer business mailers such services as printing, presorting, prebarcoding, addressing services, and assistance in developing and executing direct mail marketing campaigns.

These service providers are eligible to be listed in the Postal Service's Business Partners directory after completing a four-part seminar that provides a general overview of postal products and services. These seminars provide an opportunity for the participating companies to become more aware of postal products and mailing re-

quirements. Attendance at the seminars will also provide an opportunity to develop a working business relationship with the local Business Center. The seminars offer a basic overview of mailpiece design, mail preparation, package services and international mail.

The Business Partners program is one of many services provided by the Postal Business Centers, which were created to allow the Postal Service to better serve the business customers that provide the bulk of its volume. Business Center consultants help mailers take advantage of discounted postage rates, and they offer tips on navigating the postal system for maximum efficiency.

The cost for participating in the Business Partners' seminar is \$35 per person. Group rates and on-site rates are also available. For scheduling information, call the Portland Business Center at 871-8567.

SMOKING CESSATION CLASSES PLANNED AT BAHC

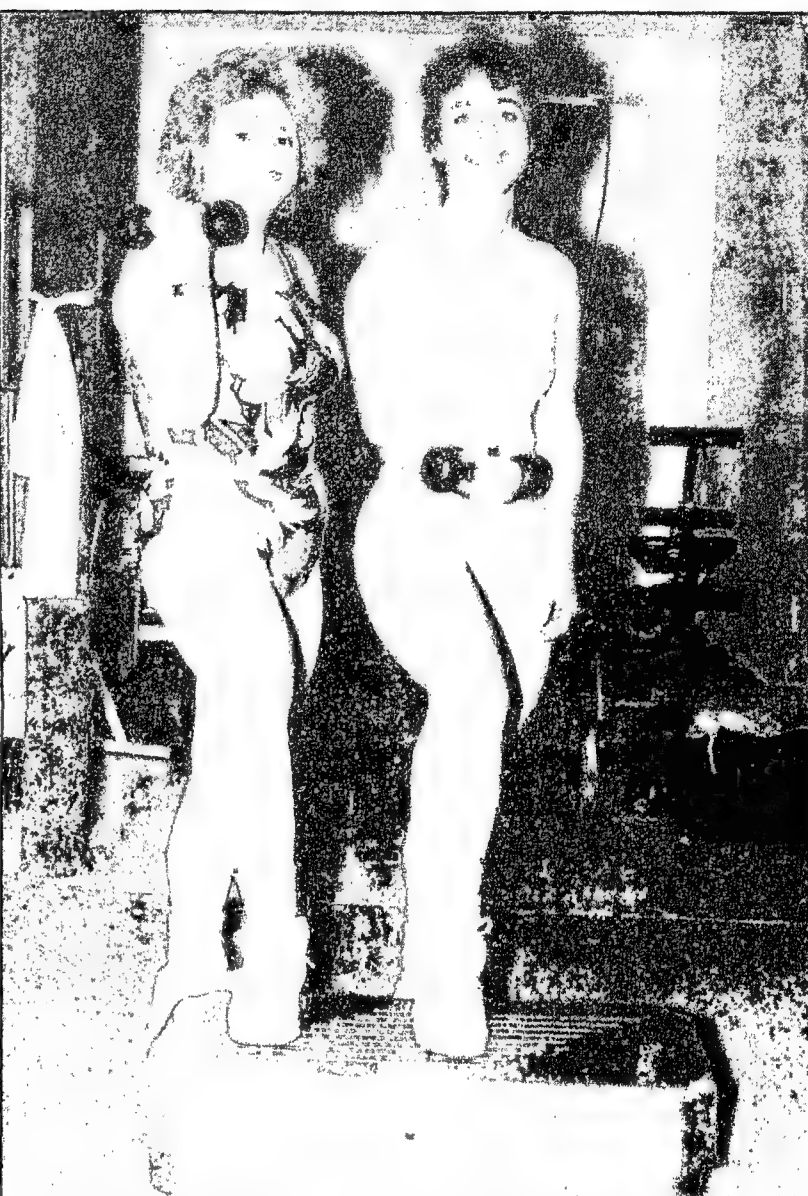
The Bethel Area Health Center is looking for people interested in quitting smoking.

The health center has purchased the Breathe Free program, to help smokers stop. The program has nine sessions held in a four-week period.

Each session features a video and

instructor presentation. Video topics include: the stories of former cigarette spokesmen, called "Death in the West," the risks of head and neck cancer; understanding stress; how to beat cigarettes and how to eat for life.

Anyone interested in more information or in signing up can call the health center at 824-2193.



OXFORD POMONA GRANGE

Oxford Pomona Grange 2 met for its May meeting at Bear Mountain Grange Hall, South Waterford.

Guests recognized were deputy Lonnie Easler, youth director Sue Hackett, chief junior deputy and junior director Sherry Harriman; Hazel Conant, treasurer and husband Francis, past deputy; Lewis Bisbee and Myrtle Bisbee, deputies for Oxford Pomona.

Reports were given by the legislative, agriculture, committee of women's activities, youth and scholarship chairmen.

Winners in the gingerbread contest were Olive Risko, Franklin Grange, first; Kathleen Holden, West Paris Grange, second; and Georgia Herick, Oxford Grange, third in the women's division. In the men's division, Russell Yates, Franklin Grange placed first and Robert Grover, Oxford Grange, second.

A certificate of appreciation was read for the Grange's part in the Maine State Grange Hay Relief Program for farmers in Iowa.

The C.W.A. will make a donation to the Maine State Grange Agricultural Scholarship Fund.

Glen Chute, former Pomona master gave the address of welcome. Response was given by Pomona master Russell Yates.

Richard Felt, Agriculture Committee chairman, spoke on agriculture since the beginning of the Grange.

Slides on farms and farming were shown by lecturer Stanley Howe.

Farming stories were read by Richard Felt, Lettie Brooks and Francis Conant. Lewis Woodworth also spoke.

Mystery march winners were Russell Yates, Francis Conant and Dot Canwell.

Lettie Brooks won the attendance drawing.

Making brief remarks were Lonnie Easler, Marion Easler, Sherry Harriman and Sue Hackett.

James Lowe spoke on membership ideas.

Next meeting will be June 7 at Frederick Robie Grange Hall, Otisfield Gore. Supper at 6:30 p.m.

INCEST/ABUSE SURVIVORS MEET MONDAYS IN W/STOCK

Incest Survivors Anonymous and Sexual Abuse Survivors Anonymous now meet Monday evenings from 8 to 9 at the Hope M. Thurlow Memorial Hall on the Perkins Valley Road in Woodstock. The hall is located next to the Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church.

For more information call 743-9140.

COMMUNICATION SKILLS WORKSHOP AT EXTENSION

The Oxford County University of Maine Cooperative Extension will offer a workshop on strengthening communication skills on Friday, June 24.

The workshop will cover common destructive communication patterns, how to clearly express thoughts, assertive communication and effective listening skills.

Wendy Legg Pollock will lead the workshop at the Extension Office on the Olson Road in South Paris. There is no charge for the 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. course. A bag lunch is recommended.

Preregistration is required, by calling the Extension Office at 1-800-287-1482 or 743-6329.

Lakes Association erosion workshop

The Community Lakes Association of Woodstock and Greenwood will sponsor an Erosion Control Workshop at 9 a.m. on Saturday, June 11, at the Maine Conservation School in Bryant Pond. Anyone interested in learning how to prevent and control soil erosion is invited to attend.

Jim Chandler, a member of the Board of Directors of the Community Lakes Association and district manager of the Soil and Water Conservation District will conduct

the workshop, including site demonstrations showing how soil erosion can be controlled.

Other dates and events planned by the association at the Maine Conservation School are:

--June 26, 1 p.m., Volunteer Kick-off. Citizens of all ages are invited to join in projects that will clean up the environment and help keep the lakes and ponds clean. A hat will be given to each volunteer.

--Annual meeting, July 23, 8:45 to 11 a.m.

Golf tip of the week --

Mind Over Body. Think about making a good, clean contact. Remember that golf is a game of feel and, as with all golf shots, your performance will be reflected by how you perceive it. Tell yourself that it is easy and it will be. But if you see it as difficult, then you will certainly find it impossible to succeed.

The golf tip of the week is provided by the staff of the Bethel Inn and Country Club.

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BETHEL GARDENING CLUB The Bethel Gardening Club will meet at the Bethel Library on June 11, at 4 p.m. Plans will be made for the summer. Anyone interested in flower gardening is invited. Call 824-2465 for more information.

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(3)	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Movie: "Heaven Can Wait"		News		Murphy B.	M*A*S*H	H. Patrol	
(5)	Waltons		Young Riders	Rescue 911			700 Club	Bonanza		
(6)	Best of the	Roseanne	Mad-You	Wings	Seinfeld	Frasier	Dateline	News		
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Coach	Coach	Billy Graham Crusade	Primetime Live	News			
(10)	MacNeil-Lehrer		Maine	Mystery!		Stay Lucky		Charlie Rose		
(11)	Sportsctr.	TBA	Stanley Cup Playoffs: Championship Finals Game 5 -- Canucks at Rangers					Sportscenter		
(12)	Club Dance	News	Barb. Mandrell	Music City Tonight			Club Dance	News		
(13)	Ent. Tonight	Edition	How'd They Do That?	Eye to Eye		Picket Fences		News		
(14)	Tonite	Talk Sport	USISL Soccer: Connecticut Wolves at Boston Storm			Winston Cup Special		This Week in NASCAR		
(15)	Movie: "Raiders of the Lost Ark" Cont'd	Speed: First	Movie: "Knight Moves"			Lock-Up: Prison				
(17)	Movie: "On Promised Land"		Movie: "Funny Farm"			"Fantastic Voyage"				
(18)	"Little Sister" Cont'd	Movie: "Joey Breaker"	Movie: "The Pickle"			Movie: "Hard to Kill"				
(20)	Minor League Baseball: Richmond Braves at Pawtucket Red Sox					To Be Announced				
(21)	Midnight Caller		Unsolved Mysteries	Movie: "In the Eyes of a Stranger"				Unsolved Mysteries		
(22)	Flintstones	Sanford	Century of Women			Movie: "The African Queen"				
(24)	Doug	Muppets	Jeanie	Bewitched	I Love Lucy	Newhart	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	Van Dyke	Get Smart
(25)	Movie: "The Far Horizons"				Movie: "The Naked Prey"				Movie: "Riding High"	
(26)	Wings	Wings	Murder, She Wrote		Movie: "Target of Suspicion"				Wings	Wings
(27)	In Search Of		Biography	Lady Day: Billie Holiday	Evening to Remember	Why We Fight				
(32)	Eat Daisies	Eddie's	Hazel	That Girl	Renegade	News		Kojak		
(34)	Design W	Jeffersons	Major League Baseball: Chicago White Sox at Minnesota Twins					News	Highlander	
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primenews	Larry King Live	World News	Sports	Moneyline			

FRIDAY EVENING JUNE 10, 1994										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Major League Baseball: Baltimore Orioles at Boston Red Sox				News		Murphy B.	M*A*S*H	H. Patrol	
(5)	Waltons		Movie: "The Busy Body"				700 Club	Bonanza		
(6)	Murphy B.	Roseanne	Sequester DSV	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Championship Game 2				News		
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Fam. Mat	Boy-World	Step by S.	Graham	20/20		News	
(10)	MacNeil-Lehrer		Wash. Wk	Wall St.	Mulberry	Keeping Up	Bless Me	Bless Me	Smith & J.	Ch. Rose
(11)	Sportsctr.	College Baseball: NCAA World Series Game 14 -- Teams to Be Announced					Baseball	Sportscenter		
(12)	Club Dance	News	Hot Country Nights	Music City Tonight			Club Dance	News		
(13)	Ent. Tonight	Edition	Diagnosis Murder	Burke's Law		Picket Fences		News		
(14)	Tonite	Golf	Winston Cup Special	Racing	Golf: Michael Jordan RMCC Celebrity Classic			Horse R.		
(15)	School Ties Cont'd	Movie: "Unlawful Entry"			Movie: "Silver"					
(17)	Movie: "The Black Hole"			Movie: "Enemy Mine"				Invasion-Body		
(18)	Stay Tuned Cont'd	Movie: "Lost in Yonkers"			Movie: "Groundhog Day"					
(20)	NHL Hockey: Ottawa Senators at Boston Bruins				College Hockey: 1987 Beanpot Tournament Championship					
(21)	Midnight Caller		Unsolved Mysteries	Movie: "Money on the Side"				Mysteries	Girls N	
(22)	Flintstones		Major League Baseball: Atlanta Braves at Houston Astros				B Hillbillies	B Hillbillies		
(24)	Doug	Muppets	Jeanie	Bewitched	I Love Lucy	Newhart	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	Van Dyke	Get Smart
(25)	Movie: "My Gisha"				Movie: "On Dangerous Ground"				Movie: "The Real Glory"	
(26)	Wings	Wings	Murder, She Wrote		Movie: "Blind Vengeance"				Chopper Chicks	
(27)	In Search Of		Biography	Investigative Reports	Ancient Mysteries	Evening at the Improv				
(32)	Eat Daisies	Major League Baseball: Montreal Expos at New York Mets					News		Hazel	
(34)	Design W	Jeffersons	Major League Baseball: Chicago White Sox at Minnesota Twins					News	Comedy	
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primenews	Larry King Live	World News	Sports	Moneyline			

SATURDAY EVENING JUNE 11, 1994										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Empty Nest	Murphy B.	Movie: "Joe Kidd"				News	Movie: "Escape From Alcatraz"		
(5)	Bordertown	Skies	"Race to Freedom: The Underground Railroad"				Snowy River: McGregor	Country Music Spotlight		
(6)	Discovr.	Cheers	Mommies	Getting By	Empty Nest	Nurses	Sisters		Sat. Night	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "A Stranger in the Family"				Commish		News	In-Country
(10)	Maine	Media W	Upstairs Downstairs	Fighter Pilot's Story			Robin Hood		Robin Hood	
(11)	Sportsctr.	Speedweek	Stanley Cup Playoffs: Championship Finals Game 6 -- Rangers at Canucks					Sportscenter		
(12)	Outdoors	Bill Dance	Opry	Grand Opry	Music City News Country Awards			Grand Opry		
(13)	Untouchables		Medicine Woman	Harts of the West	Walker, Texas Ranger			News		
(14)	Women's Volleyball		Auto Racing: ASA's AC Delco Challenge Series				Arena Football			
(15)	Home Alone 2		Movie: "Dave"				Boxing: Bowe vs. Maitis Jr		Hard Truth	
(17)	Homeward Bound: Incredible Journey		Preview	Movie: "The Electric Horseman"				Tina Turner: Going Home		
(18)	"Love Potion No. 9"		Movie: "Patriot Games"				Movie: "The Perfect Weapon"		Die Watch	
(20)	Major League Baseball: Baltimore Orioles at Boston Red Sox						Windsurf	Big Wheel	Racing	On Pit Road
(21)	Movie: "Hold the Dream" Cont'd						Girls Night Out		Hartman	Hartman
(22)	WCW Saturday Night		Major League Baseball: Atlanta Braves at Houston Astros					Movie: "Loser in It"		
(24)	Doug	Rugrats	Clarissa	Pete & Pete	Ren-Stimpy	You Afraid?	R house	Very Very Scary		
(25)	Movie: "The Redhead From Wyoming"		In H'wood	Movie: "Holiday Inn"				Movie: "The Tin Star"		
(26)	Case Closed		Movie: "Tremors"				Weird Sci.	Duckman	"Spring Fever USA"	
(27)	Hm. Again	Hm. Again	Movie: "Tobruk"				Best of Comic Relief		Comedy on the Road	
(32)	Eat Daisies	Eddie's	Hazel	That Girl	Mod Squad		News	Charles	Kojak	
(34)	Runaway	Fortune	Major League Baseball: Chicago White Sox at Minnesota Twins					News	Movie	
(39)	Capital	Sports Sat.	Primenews	Larry King Weekend	World News	Sports	Capital			

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SUNDAY EVENING JUNE 12, 1994										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Kung Fu: The Legend		Movie: "The Absent Minded Professor"				News	Manager	H. Patrol	Paid Prog.
(5)	Jungle	Big Jake	Country Music Spotlight	Snowy River: McGregor			In Touch		Ben Haden	Ankerberg
(6)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Championship Game 3			Frasier			Law & Order		News	Suspect
(8)	Videos	Funnies	Lois & Clark-Superman	Movie: "Dynasty: The Reunion"					News	Crusaders
(10)	Creatures Great & Small	Nature	Masterpiece Theatre	Mystery!					Movie: "Suspicion"	
(11)		Baseball	Major League Baseball: St. Louis Cardinals at Philadelphia Phillies						Sportscenter	
(12)	Mechanic	NHRA	Racing	Race Day	Fishin'	Fishing	Bassmaster	Outdoors	Road Test	Speed
(13)	60 Minutes		Murder, She Wrote	Tony Awards					News	
(14)	Par	Auto Racing: SCCA Trans-Am -- Detroit Grand Prix	IQGP	Softball					Mount Everest Marathon	
(15)	Movie: "Folks!" Cont'd	Movie: "The Bodyguard"					Movie: "Against the Wall"			
(17)	Movie: "Swiss Family Robinson"			Epcot			Honeymooners		"84 Charing Cross Road"	
(18)	Butty the Vampire Slayer	Movie: "Split Second"		Movie: "Unforgotten"						
(20)	Equestrian: Classic	To Be Announced							To Be Announced	
(21)	Movie: "Lie Down With Lions"								Nite Caller	Hidden
(22)	Movie: "Mallock: The Secret"			National Geographic Explorer					Earth	Paid Prog.
(24)	You Afraid? R'house	Nick News	Partridge	I Love Lucy	Lucy Show	Van Dyke	Newhart	M.T. Moore	Get Smart	
(25)	Movie: "Fancy Pants"			Movie: "The Major and the Minor"					Movie: "State Fair"	
(26)	Movie: "Target of Suspicion"			Sports III: Swimsuit	Silk Stalkings				Silk Stalkings	
(27)	Year-Prev. Year-Prev.	Movie: "The Jericho Mile"		Poirt					Instant Comedy No. 1	
(32)	Eat Daisies	Eddie's	Hazel	That Girl	Gift of Love		News	Charles	Kojak	
(34)	Star Search		Gift of Love		Billy Graham Crusade		News		Night Court	Blues
(39)	Pinnacle	Sport Sun.	Primenews	CNN Presents	World News	Sports	Business			

MONDAY EVENING JUNE 13, 1994										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Midnight Run				News	Murphy B.	Valley	H. Patrol
(5)	Waltons		Young Riders	Rescue 911			700 Club	Bonanza		
(6)	Murphy B.	Roseanne	Fresh Pr.	Blossom	Movie: "Woman on the Edge"			News		
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Day One		Movie: "Dynasty: The Reunion"			News		
(10)	MacNeil-Lehrer		I'll Fly Away		Movie: "I'll Fly Away: Then and Now"			Charlie Rose		
(11)	Sportsctr.	Water Skiing	Pro Beach Volleyball	World Cup: America			Baseball	Sportscenter		
(12)	Club Dance	News	Michelle	Music City Tonight			Club Dance	News		
(13)	Ent. Tonight	Edition	Dave's	Tom	Murphy B.	Advice	Northern Exposure		News	
(14)	Tonite	World Sport	Sportswriters on TV	Talk					Boxing: Fight Night	
(15)	"Stanley & Iris" Cont'd	Movie: "And the Band Played On"						Movie: "Zebrahead"		
(17)	Faerie Tale Theatre	Avonlea		Movie: "That's Entertainment, Part 2"				Hal Roach		
(18)	"Ghostbusters" Cont'd	Cheech & Chong's Nice Dreams		Movie: "Up in Smoke"				Movie: "Still Smokin"		
(20)	Major League Baseball: Minnesota Twins at Boston Red Sox							To Be Announced		
(21)	Midnight Caller		Unsolved Mysteries	Movie: "Locked Up: A Mother's Rage"				Unsolved Mysteries		
(22)	Flintstones		Major League Baseball: Colorado Rockies at Atlanta Braves					Movie: "Deliverance"		
(24)	Doug	Muppets	Jeanie	Bewitched	I Love Lucy	Newhart	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	Van Dyke	Get Smart
(25)	Movie: "Blue Skies"				Movie: "Wonder Man"				Movie: "Days of Heaven"	
(26)	Wings	Wings	Murder, She Wrote		WWF Monday Night Raw		Silk Stalkings		Wings	Wings
(27)	In Search Of		Biography	Sherlock Holmes	Lovejoy Mysteries		Brute Force		Weapons	
(32)	Eat Daisies	Eddie's	Hazel	That Girl	Mod Squad		News		Kojak	
(34)	Night Court	Jeffersons	Major League Baseball: Oakland Athletics at Chicago White Sox					News	Emer. Call	
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primenews	Larry King Live	World News	Sports	Moneyline			

TUESDAY EVENING JUNE 14, 1994										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	M*A*S*H	Movie "Heartburn"				News	Murphy B.	Valley	H. Patrol
(5)	Waltons		Young Riders		Rescue 911		700 Club		Bonanza	
6	Murphy B	Roseanne	After the Headlines		Larroquette	Larroquette	Election Returns		News	
8	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Full House	Phenom	Roseanne	Coach	NYPD Blue		News	
10	MacNeil-Lehrer		Nova		Frontline		Movie "One Nation Under God"			Ch. Rose
(11)	Sportsctr.	TBA	Stanley Cup Playoffs		Championship Finals Game 7 --			Canucks at Rangers	Sportscenter	
(12)	Club Dance	News	Loretta Lynn Seasons		Music City Tonight			Club Dance	News	
13	Ent. Tonight	Edition	Rescue 911		Star Trek Deep Space 9		News Special	Election Returns		
(14)	Tonite	Advent	Rodeo: Bullriders Only		LPBT Bowling Hammond Open		NBA Action	Rodeo: Bullriders Only		
(15)	Ultimat	Wolf-Look	Movie "Dave"				Wimbledon	Speed First	Movie "Knight Moves"	
(17)	Movie "The Flight of Dragons"				View of America		Movie "Bringing Up Baby"			
(18)	"Groundhog Day" Cont'd		Movie "Blue City"			Movie "Day of Atonement"			"TC 2000	
(20)	Major League Baseball: Minnesota Twins at Boston Red Sox						To Be Announced			
(21)	Midnight Caller		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "Shattered Vows"			Unsolved Mysteries		
(22)	Flintstones	Major League Baseball: Colorado Rockies at Atlanta Braves					Movie: "Easy Money"			
(24)	Doug	Muppets	Jeanie	Bewitched	I Love Lucy	Newhart	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	Van Dyke	Get Smart
(25)	Movie: "The Hunchback of Notre Dame"				Movie: "Tower of London"				"No Highway in the Sky"	
(26)	Wings	Wings	Murder, She Wrote		Boxing: Juan Carlos Gomez vs. Tony Thornton			Wings	Wings	
(27)	In Search Of		Biography		Movie: "Inspector Morse: The Wolvercote Tongue"			Brute Force: Weapons		
(32)	Eat Daisies	Major League Baseball: Philadelphia Phillies at New York Mets					News		Hazel	
(34)	Night Court	Jeffersons	Columbo		News		Major League Baseball: Cubs at Padres			
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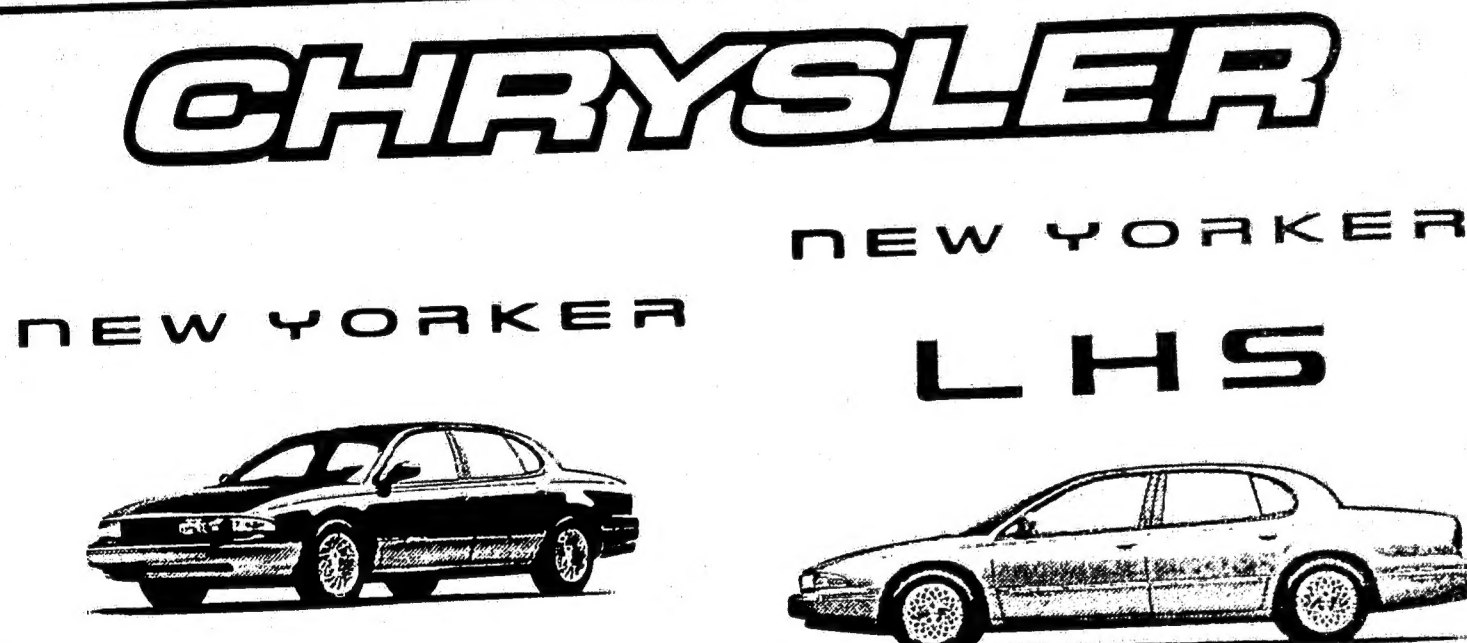
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Dr. and Mrs. Harry "Dutch" Dresser of Bethel are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Erika Dresser, to Rudolf Penczer of Bethel. Erika graduated from Gould Academy in 1986 and Colby College in 1990. She is currently a math and science teacher at Holderness School in Plymouth, N.H.

Rudolf, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolf E. Penczer of Phoenixville, Pa., is a 1986 graduate of Malvern Prep in Malvern, Pa., and a 1990 graduate of Colby College. He has just completed his third year as a mathematics teacher at Gould Academy.

The couple is planning a September wedding.

Card of Thanks

I'd like to thank the firemen of Bethel and surrounding towns that saved the Carter Farm on Middle Intervale Road. Everyone has been so nice and helpful since the fire - thanks for your support.

John Carter

Card of Thanks

Thanks for all the cards, flowers, fruit baskets and calls that I have received while in the hospital and since my return home.

Special thanks to Sene & Clyde Brooks for calling the rescue and taking my friend home. Also, to Bethel Methodist Church for all their good deeds and prayers.

I love you all.

Gwen Currier

ACCEPTING BIDS

The town of West Paris is accepting bids for their 1972 Ford L800, 7 yd. dump truck, 10' plow with sander. Specs can be obtained by calling office at 674-2701. All bids to be submitted by June 30, 1994 before 4:30 PM. We reserve the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

CODA MEETS THURSDAYS

Co-Dependents Anonymous (CODA) meetings are being held on Thursday evenings from 8 to 9 at the Hope M. Thurlow Memorial Hall on the Perkins Valley Road in Woodstock. For more information call 743-9140.

WEDDINGS • BIRTHS • OBITUARIES

To submit notices, you may bring in your copy to The Bethel Citizen before 5 p.m. on Fridays to be considered for publication the following Wednesday.

Send information to: Editor, The Bethel Citizen, PO Box 109, Bethel, Maine 04217

Invitation to Bid Andover Public Library

The Andover Public Library is now accepting bids to replace the roof on the library building. Copies of specifications can be obtained from the library (392-4841) or by contacting Alex Legault (392-3111). Bids will be accepted until 4 p.m., July 14, 1994.

NAZARENE BIBLE STUDY

The Bethel Church of the Nazarene has formed a new Bible study on Wednesday nights entitled "Journey of a Lifetime." This study will be taught by the pastor, the Rev. John Grant, and is designed to give the student a working knowledge of every book in the Bible, as well as a close look at many of the significant chapters.

Those in the study may purchase a 226-page commentary filled with maps, charts, and diagrams to make this journey more meaningful. This optional commentary is available in two sections at a cost of \$7 each. The first section is purchased upon joining the study, and the other at the half-way point. The Rev. Grant believes that those attending all the study sessions will learn more about the Bible in one year than they dreamed possible in a lifetime.

Sessions will begin on June 8 in the fellowship hall of the Bethel Church of the Nazarene and will continue each Wednesday at 7 p.m. Those wishing to enroll or who desire more information may call the Rev. Grant at 824-3766.

LUTHERAN SERVICES

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church, Buckfield Road, South Paris, will begin its summer worship schedule on June 12. Lutheran Liturgy with Holy Communion at 9 a.m. On Sept. 11, worship will revert to 10:15 a.m.

CHRISTIAN WOMEN UNITED

The Christian Women United will hold their monthly meeting at the Country Way Restaurant in South Paris on Tuesday, June 21.

The meal will be served at 11:30.

The speaker for the day will be Ginger Dyer from Corinna and the music will be furnished by her also.

Those who have not been contacted but would like reservations may call Leora Whitney at 743-7221 or Pearl Anderson at 743-5724 by Friday, June 17.

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Obituaries

DYLAN MATHEW BRAGG

Dylan Mathew Bragg, age 11 days, died Tuesday, May 31, at Maine Medical Center in Portland. He is the son of Daniel and Deri (Roberts) Bragg. He is survived by his parents of Auburn; paternal grandparents, Roland and Roberta Bragg of Wales; paternal great-grandmother, Vera Matveev of Richmond; maternal grandparents, Joan and Bill Roberts of Bethel; maternal great-grandmother, Jean Mills of Bethel; and maternal great-grandparents, Bill and Caroline Roberts of Locke Mills; and a great-grandmother, Evelyn Chapman of Auburn.

MILDRED H. O'BLENES

Mildred H. O'Blenes, 79, of West Paris, died Wednesday afternoon, June 1, 1994, after an extended illness.

Mrs. O'Blenes was born March 5, 1915, in Hartford, the daughter of Arthur and Mimmie Hazelton. She had made her home in West Paris for many years, coming from Sumner. On Sept. 20, 1975, she married Lionel O'Blenes, who died March 4, 1990. Mrs. O'Blenes attended West Paris schools, held membership in the West Paris Grange 298, and was a former member of the North Paris Baptist Church.

She is survived by a half-sister, Esther Lucas of West Paris; and a half-brother, Herbert Stevens of North Paris.

Graveside services were held June 3 at the North Paris Cemetery.

DAVID L. DUNHAM

David L. Dunham, 67, of Andrew's Hill Road, South Woodstock, died Thursday, June 2, 1994, at his residence.

He was born in West Paris on Oct. 15, 1926, the son of Raymond and Elizabeth Campbell Dunham. He was educated in West Paris schools. He had worked locally on the railroad for several years and then was owner and operator of Dunham's Store in Greenwood for 13 years. Most recently he had worked for SAD17 as a custodian for 13 years before retiring. Mr. Dunham had also worked for the Job Corps at Poland Spring and was also known for his love of animals. He was also an avid sports fan. He served in the U.S. Army during WW II as a military policeman. He had lived in South Woodstock since 1975, moving there from West Paris. He married Anne Dudley on Sept. 26, 1953.

He is survived by his wife of South Woodstock; two sons, Stephen of Orlando, Fla., and Thomas of Centerville, Ohio; one daughter, Karen J. Dunham of South Woodstock; one brother, Richard Dunham of North Haven, Conn.; and one sister, Rachel Roy of Portland.

Funeral services were held Monday, June 6, at 1 p.m. at the Seventh Day Adventist Church, South Woodstock. Interment will be at the Wayside Cemetery, West Paris. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in his memory to the Forestdale School, Seventh Day Adventist Church, c/o Mary Ellen Hadley, Treasurer, 43 Perkins Valley Road, Bryant Pond, ME 04219.

THOUGHTS FROM THE Pastor's Study

The Bethel Area Clergy Association, with the help of pastors of surrounding churches, brings you these meditations.

Matthew 6:5-14 has recorded words having Jesus tell those around him how to pray. Words that include "The Lord's Prayer." Luke 11:2-4 has a shorter, perhaps, not so familiar, not so complete, version of "The Lord's Prayer."

"The Lord's Prayer" was offered back then, almost 2,000 years ago, to teach the disciples, the followers of Jesus a wonderful prayer... and as a model for their prayers. Today, this prayer which has been handed down to us through the Bible and generation to generation gives us a superb form, guideline for our prayer times. That is in addition to being a prayer said regularly by some of us. A prayer that becomes internalized by many -- being a vehicle of comfort, strength, inspiration, and more.

Some, perhaps more than a few, do not yet know this prayer... yet, they pray. Maybe, their prayers are simple prayers -- even thoughts without spoken words. And, maybe, for some prayers are more complex. Whatever the opportunities and appropriate, wholesome ways of prayer exist for each of us. And, with integrity, with sincerity, we can pray to God. Doing so, praising God, asking for forgiveness, sharing concerns and joys, and being thankful for what we do have...praying, communicating with the Holy One who is always with us.

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